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OF THE
Discoveries concerning Comets,
WITH
The Way to find their Orbits,
And some Improvements
In constructing and calculating their Places.

For which Reason are here added
New TABLES, fitted to those Purposes;
Particularly with regard to
That COMET which is soon expected to return.

By THOMAS BARKER, Gent. *R*

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THAT bright comet, which was seen in 1744, having raised in me as well as others a greater curiosity about them; I had once thoughts of undertaking a kind of history of comets, which, beside what is given here, should contain an improvement of Hevelius's and Lubienietz's accounts of the ancient ones, and a continuation of them to the present time. The alterations I designed to make were these: First, To leave out the astronomical observations, which the old authors, looking on comets chiefly as prodigies, are full of, and Lubienietz's book is almost all so; to quote nothing but what relates to the comet itself; and in later times, when there are many accounts of the same comet, to insert the principal, and perhaps pass over some of them which contained nothing new. Secondly, Hevelius and Lubienietz take many comets only second hand, from Rockenbach and other modern writers, but I would as much as possible have quoted the original authors. Thirdly, Different persons not using the same chronology, have often made several comets of one. Thus the four Seneca reckons up Nat. Quæst. VII. 17. after the death of Julius Cæsar, under Augustus, Claudius, and Nero, are in Hevelius increased to thirteen; and the two last of them, which he calls the two comets seen in our time VII. 23. Lubienietz has made eight of. Fourthly, Lubienietz swells his history with balls of fire, northern lights, and perhaps other meteors: all these, as also multiplying of real comets, I designed to have avoided where I could. In pursuit of this design, I made a list of the comets which had been seen, with references to the authors who mentioned them, so far as I had then found, leaving room to add more, as I met with them; and began to draw up the account of a few of the first with the authorities, but found so little satisfaction from the very imperfect accounts, that perceiving the benefit would not answer the trouble, I laid the design aside. Yet having now had by me for several years a table of the parabola, which shews the space, and distance from the focus at all angles, and will, I think, by it's length, better answer the end of calculating a comet's place, than Dr. Halley's table can, I chose no longer to conceal it: but that it might not seem too imperfect, by being published alone, I have added a short account of the discoveries about comets, a catalogue of their orbits, the way I calculated the parabolick table,

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table, and method of using it, also how to construct a comet's motion speedily. In particular I have given some account of the use of Sir Isaac Newton's famous problem for finding a comet's orbit from three observations, which till lately few persons have study'd; yet seems to me a much better method, than that Caille has given in art. 518—560 of his astronomy, which he shews in art. 520, does not answer in all cases, and requiring so much correction by guess, must I think be very troublesome. In studying this problem of Sir Isaac's I almost got beyond my depth; yet by comparing his explication with Dr. Gregory's, and the assistance at first of Mr. G. Whiston, with a repeated examination since, I hope I have gained a tolerable knowledge of it, and have endeavoured to render the process as exact, easy, and plain as I can. But though mathematicks is a science capable of absolute demonstration, yet in so complex a problem, especially where several parts are only approximations, the mind of man is frail, and may overlook some small circumstance, which may render his reasoning a little defective: such at least I own my understanding to be, and the more as living in a retired place, I am forced to trust to my own strength. If therefore on tryal I be caught tripping, far from taking any friendly admonition amiss, I shall think myself greatly obliged to any one more skilful than myself, who will by letter or otherwise inform me, either where I have mistaken, might have made the method shorter or easier, or have omitted any further use or improvement; I shall not fail on any proper occasion to acknowledge the favour, and, if opportunity offers, to make a due use of it, being desirous to compleat the affair as far as I can.

Lyndon, Rutland.
Sept. 15, 1756.

P. S. Mr. Facio, as Dr. Halley mentions, thought of a use which may now and then be made of comets; by observing the parallax of one when very near the earth, to find the sun's parallax, and consequently it's distance, now known only to a fourth part. The expected comet will not come much nearer the earth than Mars does, if it's perihelion should be in January or July; but would be within 13 000 000 of miles of the earth October 19, with a full minute's parallax, if it's perihelion is November 27; or have $3\frac{1}{2}$ parallax May 4, at 4 000 000 of miles distance, if it's perihelion is March 27.

OF



OF THE
DISCOVERIES
CONCERNING
COMETS.

THOUGH the ancients knew little of the use of conick sections, in comparison of what has been discovered within these last hundred and fifty years, yet they applied them selves to the study of their properties, and thereby prepared the way for the readier applying them to the uses lately found out. If those who at that time employed themselves in making astronomical observations, had been as careful in attending to the motion of comets, which do not require such depth of thought as abstruse mathematical problems; though they knew too little then of the principles of motion to have found out their real path, yet probably we should not have been so much at a loss, as we still are, as to their periods; but, by comparing their motions in different returns, even though the observations had been but gross, might have arrived to a considerable perfection in the astronomy of comets. But as most of their periods seem to be very long, and it is but a little while that their motions have been carefully watched, it may be some ages yet, before we get any great knowledge about them. Most of the ancients, being of Aristotle's opinion, that comets were only inflamed vapours, raised, continuing, and dispersed in our atmosphere, took little further notice of them than as omens, often mentioning neither the time of year, or place they were seen in; and unless *both* are known, we can neither find their orbit, nor compare them with that of any known comet. Seneca indeed, and some others whom he mentions, believed comets to be *lasting heavenly bodies*, Nat. Quæst. VII. 3 & 22. that *multitudes of them, which could not be seen on account of their position, kept on their stated course, and at certain times, when they got to the*

nearer end of their path, came within sight of men, Chap. 13, 17, 19. and he expected that time and pains would discover what was then unknown, and posterity wonder that they did not know such plain things, Chap. 25. In these several places there is a better guess about comets, than any made for above fifteen hundred years afterward: and further search has since confirmed what he thought, that it is the excentricity of their orbits which occasions their being only now and then seen. In all those dark ages, from the decline of the Roman empire to the Reformation, comets being only considered as ominous meteors, three only have been yet found described enough to determine their orbits, and those but in a gross manner: and I think Appian was the first, who, about 1530, began to observe their motion astronomically; and soon found that, so far from being within our air, they, having no sensible parallax, must needs be much further off than the moon: here then is the first step toward finding out the true nature of comets; and from that time all astronomers have allowed their place to be among the planetary orbits, and many observations were made of their motions by Tycho Brahe and others.

The two comets of 1664 and 65, coming within a few months of one another, made many persons very inquisitive about them; and in Birch's history of the Royal Society, Vol. II. there are two remarkable guesses, both read May 23, 1666. In page 93, are *Mr. Hooke's remarks on Mons. Petit's dissertation on the nature of comets, presented to the society some weeks before.* What that paper contained does not fully appear; but Mr. Hooke said, *the hypotheses were very ingenious, and some of them not improbable, but whether the comets were moved in equal spaces of a curve line in equal spaces of time, which Mons. Petit seemed inclined to believe, deserved to be further examined.* This last clause is remarkable, and that paper, if still preserved, is worth searching, to see how near Mons. Petit was to guessing the truth. The other paper, page 91, is Mr. Hooke's own, endeavouring to account for the planet's motions; where, having proposed the resistance of the æther, he says, *the second cause of inflecting a direct motion into a curve may be from an attractive property of the body placed in the center, whereby it continually endeavours to attract or draw it to itself: for if such a principle be supposed, all the phenomena of the planets seem possible to be explained, by the common principle of mechanick motions; and possibly the prosecuting this speculation may give us a true hypothesis of their motions.*—By this hypothesis the phenomena of the comets as well as of the planets may be solved, and the motion of the secondary as well as of the primary planets: the motion also of the progression of the apses is very evident. This I think was much about the time that Sir Isaac Newton discovered the property of gravity, and seems much like it; only Sir Isaac, being the deeper mathematician, prosecuted the matter further, and cleared it up more fully.

Hevelius was too good an astronomer, not to see that comets were far distant from the earth, and in his *Cometographia*, Book III. p. 149—164, largely

largely shews the absurdity not only of supposing them in our air, but even below the moon, from the vast parallax they would have, and the various places they must needs be seen in at different times of day, as they rise toward the zenith, or descend to the horizon: yet could he not shake off the established opinion that they were meteors; but, to reconcile both, supposes comets to be vapours collected near any of the planets, whirling round about it till thrown out of the atmosphere, and then moving in a straight or curve line till dispersed, Book VII. p. 384; that *comets are not spherical, but round and flat*, p. 338; and, from the time they leave the planet's atmosphere, *always turn one flat side toward the Sun*, p. 666; and though, Book IX. p. 591—632, he calculates the places of several comets, as if moving in a straight line, and generally comes nearer the observed place, than I should expect such an hypothesis to do; yet he thinks that *their course is not really straight*, p. 588; and in more largely treating on the subject, says, *it is a Parabola*, p. 659. It may surprize those who have not read Hevelius, to hear that he first said a comet's orbit is parabolical, a discovery generally attributed to Sir Isaac Newton; and indeed not without reason, for Hevelius did but guess it, and knew not the principle on which its motion depended, but it was Sir Isaac Newton who first proved it, and accounted for its motion in that curve, from that universal principle of Gravity, on which the motion of all the heavenly bodies depend. We may however give Hevelius his due praise as a good astronomer, and by a short extract from his *Cometographia*, Book IX. shew how nearly he guessed at the true motion of comets, without knowing, or even suspecting, the real cause which kept them in such a trajectory. A comet then, he says, "by no means moves in a straight line, but in a curve, always concave toward the sun," p. 658, that is, "*in a Parabola*," p. 659: this he illustrates by "the parabolick motion of projectiles," p. 660. He seems here to be got very near the point, yet shews afterward he did not think of gravity as the cause of a comet's parabola: for "as projectiles move in a parabola, from a compound of their progressive motion and gravity, so comets also have a double motion; one the force given them at leaving the planet's atmosphere, the other not gravity, yet something not unlike it, by which comets turn one of their flat sides toward the sun, as the center of our system, p. 666, as a magnetick needle points toward the North, or toward a loadstone. And as in projectiles gravity, so in comets the inclination of their flat sides, turns them out of their straight course," as a rudder turns about a ship, which he had before largely considered, p. 570—587. "And the farther a comet gets from the sun, the more will its flat side be opposed to its motion, which will not only more and more retard its swiftness, but turn it out of its straight course, p. 667. But a comet differs from a projectile, in that a body thrown up moves slowest at the vertex of its parabola, and swifter both in rising and falling; while a comet moves swiftest at the vertex, where
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" a line from the sun is perpendicular to its path, and slower both in approaching the sun and retiring from it, p. 669. If you ask whether a comet's path is not an hyperbola," he " will not deny it: it is neither circle nor ellipsis, but may be any other section of a cone, which is most bent in the middle, and straighter at each end: yet is satisfied it is rather a parabola than an hyperbola," p. 683. Lastly, " as the planets regard the sun as their center, so the comets also obey it in their way," p. 701. We see here that Hevelius, whether by a mere guess at what he thought must needs follow from his notion of comets being flat bodies, generally standing oblique to the path they move in, or finding such a motion to agree best with his observations, came very near to what has since been found to be the truth: that comets move in a parabola, concave toward the sun, swiftest at the vertex, that is, when they are nearest the sun, and their motion perpendicular to a line from it, and that it is an action of the sun on comets which makes them turn out of a straight line into a curved trajectory. So far he is right, and seems got near the point, but is defective in not suspecting the sun to be the parabola's focus, expressly denying their moving in an ellipsis, and consequently returning again; and the doctrine of gravity being a later discovery, he is forced to account for their curve another way. We may learn also from his book, that studies, of which we do not at first see the benefit, are not therefore always useless. Hevelius made many observations and calculations of the motion of comets; on which if a person at that time had said to him, *cui bono?* why so much time and pains spent on vapours, which were collected yesterday, and will be dispersed to-morrow? he, owning them to be nothing else, could not perhaps have given any sufficient reason for it: yet if he and others had not taken that pains, Sir Isaac Newton would hardly have found out their real motion; and there is a field yet open for further discoveries of future ages about them.

Sir Isaac Newton having discovered that gravity is universal, and that a planet whose velocity was in a due proportion to its gravity toward the sun, would revolve about it in a perfect circle; but in an ellipsis, of which the sun is one focus, if its motion was either faster or slower; on reconsidering the matter, on occasion of that remarkable comet of 1680, he found, that, if a body is thrown with a velocity, which is to that necessary to keep it in a circle, *as the square root of 2 to 1*; the same universal principle of gravity will make it move in a *parabola*, of which the sun is the focus: and this being found agreeable to the observed motion of comets, has been since allowed by astronomers to be their real motion. It seems however not agreeable to the uniformity of the universe, that after a short view of the sun, they should be continually flying farther off, in that wide void beyond the planetary bounds, to creep along that dark cold region for millions of years; (and in less time than that, they could not reach any other system, if the parallax of the fixed stars be two seconds, which

Dr. Bradley

Dr. Bradley has found it cannot exceed;) but that they should rather revolve round the sun, in certain, though long periods: and the likeness of the elements of some of the comets seen in different ages, make it probable they were the same returning again; if so, their trajectories are not really parabolas; but they seem a kind of planets, revolving round the sun in *so extremely excentrick ellipses*, that, so far as we can see them, they are not sensibly different from parabolas, which for ease of calculation we always suppose them to be: and that their motion is almost exactly a parabola, I intend to shew particularly as to the comet of 1744, see page 14. The true motion of comets being thus known, Sir Isaac Newton applied himself to find a method, by which a comet's orbit might be determined from a course of observations; and, having attempted many ways in vain, hit at last on one, which he has explained, Boook III. Prop. 41, &c. of his *Principia*, taking for his example the comet of 1680. The same method Dr. Halley used for twenty-three more, some accurately, others grossly, as the observations he met with were; and several more have been done since by others. From the likeness of the elements, some of these are supposed to be different returns of the same comet: first, those of 1531, 1607, and 1682, with a period of 75 or 76 years, may be expected again about 1758: secondly, those of 1532 and 1661, after a period of $128\frac{1}{2}$ years, may probably return about 1789: thirdly, the observations of that in 1556 were very gross, and those in 1264 still more defective, so that neither orbit can be supposed to be at all accurate; yet from their likeness, though not agreeing very well, may not unlikely be the same, and come again, after a period of 292 years, about 1848: lastly, the comet of 1680 was a very remarkable one; and as at equal intervals, *A. C.* 44, *A. D.* 531, and 1106, others were seen in some respects like it, several persons have supposed they might be the same, being 575 years going round the sun; yet, no observations being made at any of the three former times, it was but a guess; and if the comet of 1106 was seen in March in Cancer, as the manuscript Mr. Dunthorne mentions, *Phil. Trans.* XLVII. p. 287, seems to say, it could by no means be the same as that of 1680, which cannot get beyond Taurus in March, nor be seen in Cancer after December; the period therefore of that comet must remain doubtful, till further light appears.

It may be objected, - that the two periods of the comet of 1682 being a whole year different one from the other, there is no knowing when to expect it again. The difference indeed is very great, considering how true the planet's motions are found to be; yet I fear we must not expect the same regularity in a comet's orbit as in a planet's, they being subject to many greater errors: first, crossing all or most of the planet's paths, they may come nearer to one or other of them than any of the planets do to each other, and be more affected by their mutual attraction; especially

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if near Jupiter or Saturn, the greatness of which bodies, weaker power of the sun, slowness of their motion, and consequent long continuance near one another, and direction of the comet's path nearly toward the sun, all join to make the alteration of its orbit more sensible: 2dly, a small change of angle will make little difference in a planet's orbit, which is always nearly perpendicular to the sun; but when a comet's path makes only five or ten degrees angle with a line from the sun, a little variation will bear a greater proportion to that small angle, than to 90 degrees: 3dly, as a comet's greatest distance is many times its least, if by a planet's attraction the perihelion is altered but a few miles, that may be greatly multiplied in the aphelion; and if the angle at first is changed but one minute, it may make a great alteration of length, in running four times as far as Saturn, and back again: 4thly, there is but little difference in the velocity of a body, going round the sun in one or two hundred years, and of one keeping a perfect parabola; small therefore must be the difference of one revolving in 75 or 76 years, especially if the same power, which increases its velocity, should make its perihelion distance greater. Now the comet of 1682, in its descent toward the sun, may be near Mars, but that being small will hardly affect it much; again, in going from the sun, it may pass near Venus, a little before it gets to the descending node, and near the earth a little after it: if then one or more of these planets should be in that part of their orbit when the comet passes by, they may make some change in its motion. The comet of 1680 is very liable to alteration, as in its descent it may pass not remote from any of the planets, extremely near the earth, and but a little way from Venus; its motion also being all the time almost directly toward the sun, and its perihelion distance so very small, a little change in its motion might make a very great one in its orbit.

The method Sir Isaac Newton gives, in his *Principia*, is from three observations of a comet, at proper intervals, to find its real trajectory; and Book III. Prop. 41, he has explained in order the several processes, designed chiefly for construction, which was the way he used in his example of the comet of 1680. This operose problem Dr. David Gregory has more fully explained and demonstrated, in the fifth book of his astronomy: it may also be reduced to triangles, and calculated by numbers, which is much more accurate than construction by lines; and though consisting of about an hundred triangles, Dr. Halley undertook it for 24 comets, as others have since for 20 more; and some of them, by greater care or nicer observations, to a very great degree of exactness. Yet as a compleat list of the triangles used, and several cautions necessary in practice, are not published, I have chosen to set them down here, not generally repeating the demonstrations, which Sir Isaac Newton and Dr. Gregory have already done, but supposing one of those books at hand, to add some observations for preventing mistakes, and shewing how it may be reduced to triangles: the letters here used are the same as in Sir Isaac Newton, except

except some few which he had not, and are generally those which Dr. Gregory uses.

He then who would calculate a comet's orbit by triangles, should first construct it as true as may be by lines; for as the method is approximation, it is to no purpose to calculate nicely, while the point tried is much wrong, as the first guess will most likely be; and as the accuracy depends on having, in fig. 2. B near μ , (see Greg. V. 18, 19.) he cannot at first chuse such observations as will make it so. First therefore, out of a set of observations on a comet, chuse three so that you guess that interval of time when the comet was nearest the sun is the shortest, but no great nicety is required this first time. On a large sheet of pasteboard, draw a circle ten inches radius for the *magnus orbis*; mark the points the earth was in at the three times of observation, and call them T, t , and τ , (see fig. 1); from these draw the three observed longitudes of the comet, TA, tB , and τC : on tB take any point B, let V be the intersection of $S t$ and $T \tau$, and γ the place the comet was in perpendicularly over B; make $S \gamma^3 : SB \times R^2 :: t V : B E$, which set off on the line $S B$: through E (Newton's *Princip.* III. lemma 7.) draw AC cutting TA and τC , so that $A E : E C$ as the time between the first and second observations, to the time between the second and third. A and C are near enough for the first trial, the curtate places of the comet in its orbit. To try how true they are, let TA be to the perpendicular AM, as radius to the tangent of the comet's apparent latitude the first time, and $\tau C : C N :: R : \text{tang. of apparent latitude the last time}$, and draw MN the chord of the parabolick arc $M \gamma N$, along which the comet moved, while the projection of the points on the ecliptick are A, B, C: then say $SB : S \gamma :: SB + \frac{2}{3} B E$ to a fourth number, nearly equal to (SR, see Greg. V. 20.) the distance from the sun at which a comet would move the chord MN, in the same time as it really did go the arc $M \gamma N$: let X be the length run by a comet at the earth's mean distance from the sun, in the time between the first and third observations (Newt. *Prin.* III. 40.) then $\sqrt{SR} : \sqrt{\text{radius}} :: X : M P$, being the length a comet would go in the same time at the height SR. If MN be equal to MP, the point B was taken right; but if very different, as may easily be this first time, take a new point b , find $a c$, and try till MN is nearly equal to MP. Being now near the matter, we must be more exact: bisect the truest AC in I, (see fig. 2.) erect a perpendicular $I i = B b$, draw $S i$, and erect $\lambda \mu$: if μ falls on or near B, the observations are rightly chosen; if not, take one or more new observations, to make B as near as possible to μ , and rather between i and μ than otherwise, (Greg. V. 18, 19.)

The circle drawn for the *magnus orbis* will do again, as will T, t and τ , if carefully drawn as to angle and distance, and the same observations are still used; as also the three longitudes TA, tB , and τC . Set off tB as near as now known, draw AC as before, bisect it in I, erect the perpendicular $I i = B b$, (see fig. 2.) compleat the rectangle $I i \lambda \mu$, and μ is nearly the vertex of the parabolick arc ABC; (Greg. V. 19. coroll.) but may be further

further corrected thus. Produce $I\mu$ to n , so that $\mu n = \frac{1}{2}I\mu$; through S draw $n\xi = 3S\eta$, in the line $B\xi$ take a new point E' , and if the former length BE is not true enough, which yet it will generally be for construction, a truer length for BE' may be found, as directed presently for calculation, thus: a sidereal year is to the time between the first and third observations, as the circumference of a circle to the length of the mean arc the earth moves in that time; the square of half that arc divided by twice the radius, is the fall of the earth in half the time: this, if now done accurately, need not be repeated in N^o. 7 of the calculation: then $SB : S\gamma :: SB + \frac{1}{2}I\mu : SL$ and $SL^3 : R^2 \times SB + \frac{1}{2}I\mu ::$ the fall of the earth : BE the fall of the comet. Through E' draw $A'C'$, and form the rectangle $I'\lambda'\mu'$, μ' is the vertex of the parabolick arc, (Greg. V. 19. coroll.) and $B\xi$ divides the chord very nearly in proportion to the times (V. 18). It remains then to try whether the point B was guessed right: say then $SB : S\gamma :: S\mu' + \frac{2}{3}I'\mu' : SR$, and as above find MN and MP : if they are not equal, draw GP parallel to $C'N$, then is $C'G$ the error; take a new length tb , and repeat the process to find a new mn and mp , and error $c'g$. The two figures 3, which are the small part YCG of fig. 1 and 2, shew the two cases of this correction, when C and c are on the same or opposite sides of z ; where a line drawn through G and g the two points of error will cut YC , that is in the point the comet was really over, when, by a wrong guess at the length tB and tb , it came out C and c ; and setting off $A'F$ and $a'f$ equal to $C'G$ and $c'g$, the true point x may be in like manner found. We may now either proceed to calculate the orbit arithmetically, from the length of tB now very nearly known, or find the elements of the orbit by construction thus; (see fig. 4.) two points of a parabola m and n , perpendicularly over the curtate places x and z , with the focus the sun, determine the whole curve: draw then xz , and erect two perpendiculars xm and zn , the tangents of the comet's latitude at the first and third observations, Tx and τz being the radii; $S\Omega$ drawn through the sun and the intersection of xz and mn , is the position of the comet's node. $z\varrho$ a perpendicular let fall from z on $S\Omega$, is to zn the tangent of its latitude, as radius, to tangent of the inclination of the orbit. Produce the perpendiculars $x\sigma$ and $z\varrho$ to m and n , as cosine of inclination to radius, which will be in that position to each other, the sun and line of nodes, as the comet was in its orbit at the first and third observations; on m and n (fig. 5.) with radius $S\mu$ and $S\eta$ draw two circles; a tangent to both circles may be drawn by the eye, or thus, bisect mn , draw a circle on that center passing through m and n , and set off $m\iota = n\gamma = S\eta - S\mu$, which produce to δ and κ ; $\pi\kappa\delta$ being parallel to $m\gamma$, which is perpendicular to both radii $m\iota$ and $n\delta$, touches both circles, and $S\pi$ a perpendicular on it from S , is double the perihelion distance: (De la Hire's plain conicks.) Wherefore P , the bisection of $S\pi$, is the vertex of the parabola or perihelion point, whose position is determined by the angle nSP or mSP ; as is the time the comet was there, because the parabolick space nSm , is to the

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the parabolick space mSP , as the time between the observations, to the time between the perihelion and first observation.

Thus are the elements of a comet's orbit found by construction; but if exactness is required, lines will not do it, but the process must be reduced to triangles, and calculated by numbers. And first see that the observations are good, or else be content with construction, for it is to little purpose to calculate nicely by uncertain data. Next try whether the times are rightly chosen, by the directions already given, (see page 7.) and, for further accuracy, be not content with the earth's places as found by the tables of the sun, but correct them by the menstrual parallax. The weight of the earth being to that of the moon as 39.788 to 1, the distance of the moon, is to the distance of the common center of gravity, as 40.788 to 1. (Newt. *Princ.* III. 37. cor. 4 and 6.) In fig. 6. E is the earth, and M the moon, revolving round C their common center of gravity which moves regularly along the *magnus orbis* ACB round the sun S ; then at any time the sine of the moon's horizontal parallax, is to the sine of the sun's parallax divided by 40.788, as SC to CE . In the triangle SCE , given SC , CE and SCE , then CSE is the required correction of the sun's place, and SE the real distance of the earth from the sun. This triangle however need not be solved, the tables IV. and V. giving the required correction in angle, and the length of the line ED , to be added to or subtracted from SC , the distance of the sun as found by the common tables. As the moon has sometimes above five degrees of latitude, and therefore the earth is not absolutely in the plain of the ecliptick, for perfect exactness that should be allowed for; but as the whole menstrual parallax is very small, this, which is but a small part of it, may I suppose be safely neglected. Lastly, before calculating, draw a set of figures suited to the particular case, for no general rule can be given where to add and where subtract; the case I have drawn, and suited the *plus* and *minus* to, is the comet of 1742; and another set of figures will shew, whether to add or subtract in that case. Thus prepared, the following is a list of the triangles required, what is given and what is sought, for fixing the due length of the lines, which determine the comet's trajectory.

N ^o .	Triang.	Given.	Sought.	Remarks.
1	$ST\tau$	ST , $S\tau$, and $TS\tau$	$ST\tau$, $S\tau T$, [and $T\tau$]	$ST\tau - STY = \tau TY$. [$S\tau T - S\tau Y = T\tau Y$]
2	$TY\tau$	$T\tau$ and τTY (N ^o . 1) and $TY\tau$	TY and τY	See fig. 1.
3	$S\tau B$	τB (a guess) $S\tau$ and $S\tau B$	τSB and $SB\tau$	$S\tau\tau + \tau SB = DS\tau$
4	$\tau B\gamma$	γ perpendicularly over B	$R : \text{tang. ap.}$ [Lat. $\tau B : B\gamma$]	
5	$SB\gamma$	SB (N ^o . 3) $B\gamma$ (N ^o . 4) $SB\gamma = (90^\circ)$	$S\gamma$	[Construction]
6		$SB : S\gamma :: SB + \frac{1}{4} I\mu$	$S L$	$I\mu$ taken from the last
7		$365.256 : U + W :: 2R \times 3.14159$	$\chi \downarrow \omega$	$\frac{\frac{1}{2}\chi\downarrow\omega^2}{2R} = \gamma \downarrow$. Greg. I. 25. [cor. 1.]

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No.	Trian.	Given.	Sought.	Remarks.
8		$SL:R^2 \times SB + \frac{1}{2} I\mu :: \zeta \downarrow$	BE	
9	$DS\tau$	$S\tau, S\tau D$ and $DS\tau$ (N ^o . 3)	SD and τD	$SD + BE - SB = DE$
10		$W:U + W :: DE$	DQ	AH equal and parallel to $[DQ]$
11	AHY	AH (N ^o . 10) AYH and AHY (N ^o . 9)	AY and HY	$\tau D + HY - \tau Y = HD$
12		$U:U + W :: HD$	HC	
13	ACH	AH, HC and AHC	ACH, CAH, [and AC]	$AYC + ACH + YAC$ [= 180°]
14		$U + W:U :: AC$	AE	
15	BEb	BE (N ^o . 8) bE (= 90°) BEb (= $SD\tau - ACH$)	$Bb = Ii$	See fig. 2.
16	SEI	SE (= $SB - BE$) IE (= $\frac{1}{2} AC - AE$) SEI (N ^o . 15)	SIE and SI	$SIE + 90^\circ = SIi$
17	SIi	SI, Ii (N ^o . 15) and SIi	SiI	
18	$Ii\lambda$	$Ii, Ii\lambda$ (N ^o . 17) $iI\lambda$ (= 90°)	$i\lambda = I\mu$	$I\mu \times 1.5 = In$
19	$SI\mu$	SI (N ^o . 16) $I\mu$ and $SI\mu$ (= $SIE + I\lambda i$)	$S\mu$	
20	$SI\eta$	$SI, I\eta$ (N ^o . 18) and $SI\eta$	ηSI and $S\eta$	$2S\eta = S\zeta, \eta SI - ISE = SE$ [the Suppl. of $BS\zeta$
21	$SB\zeta$	$SB, S\zeta$ and $BS\zeta$	$SB\zeta$	Greg. V. 18.
22	BDD	BDD (N ^o . 9) DBD' (= $SB\zeta$) BD (= $SD - SB$)	BD' and DD'	
23		$SB:S\gamma :: S\mu + \frac{1}{2} I\mu$	SL	Greg. V. 21.
24		$SL:R^2 \times S\mu + \frac{1}{2} I\mu :: \zeta \downarrow$	BE'	$BD' + BE' = D'E'$
25	$SE'B$	SB, BE' and $SE'B$ (N ^o . 21)	SE' and BSE'	
Repeat 10—19 to find $A'C', SI', I'\mu'$ and $S'\mu'$				
(11) 27		$A'H'Y = BD'D$ (N ^o . 22)		$\tau D + H'Y - \tau Y - DD'$
(15) 31		$BE'b'$ (N ^o . 22 and 29)		[= $H'D'$]
(16) 32		SE' (N ^o . 25) $SE'I' =$ Suppl. $BE'b'$	$+SB\zeta + BSE'$	
36		$S'\mu':S\mu' + \frac{1}{2} I'\mu'$	$S\rho \div$	
37		$SB:S\gamma :: S\rho$	SR	
38	TAM	$R: \text{tang. Lat.} :: TA'$	$A'M$	
39	$\tau C'N$	$R: \text{tang. Lat.} :: \tau C'$	$C'N$	
40	MKN	MK (= $A'C'$) KN (= $C'N - A'M$) MKN (90°)	MN	
41		\sqrt{SR} (N ^o . 37) $\sqrt{R} :: \chi \downarrow \omega$ (N ^o . 7)	MP	Greg. I. 42. and V. 20.
If $MN = MP$, M and N are two true Points in the comet's orbit, proceed therefore to N ^o . 89; and thence find the elements; but if not equal, take a new point b , so that $MN:MP$				
$\sqrt{S\gamma'}:\sqrt{S\gamma} :: Yc:Yc'$, and repeat the whole process, except N ^o . 1, 2, and 7.				
80		$MN:NP :: A'C':C'G = A'F$		
81		$mn:np :: a'c':c'g = a'f$		See fig. 3.
82	$c'pg$	$c'g, c'pg$ (= $A'C'H$ N ^o . 29) $p'c'g$ (N ^o . 67)	$c'p$ and pg	$YC' - Yc' + c'p = C'p$
83		$C'G \pm pg: C'p:: C'g: C'z$	$C'z$	$\tau C' - C'z = \tau z$
84	}	In like manner find $A'x$		$TA' - A'x = Tx$
85				
86	Γxm	$R: \text{tang. Lat.} :: Tx$	xm	
87	τzn	$R: \text{tang. Lat.} :: \tau z$	zn	
88	xYz	Yx (= $Tx - TY$) Yz and xYz	Yzx and xz	
89	STx	ST, Tx and STx	TSx and Sx	
90	$S\tau z$	$S\tau, \tau z$ and $S\tau z$	τzS and Sz	$\tau zS - Yzx = Szx$
91		$(zn - xm) = rn:rm :: zn$	zn	See fig. 4.
92	$Sz\Omega$	Sz (N ^o . 90) $z\Omega$ and $Sz\Omega$ (N ^o . 90)	$zS\Omega$ and $S\Omega$	$\tau Sz - zS\Omega = \tau S\Omega$
93	$Sz\wp$	$Sz, zS\wp$ and $S\wp z$ (= 90°)	$z\wp$	[Place of the Node.
94	$nz\wp$	$z\wp, zn$ and $nz\wp$ (= 90°) $z\wp:zn::R$	$\text{tang. } z\wp n$	Inclination of the Orbit.
95	Sxm	Sx, xm and Sxm (= 90°)	Sm	
96	Szn	Sz, zn and Szn (= 90°)	Sn	
97	$r mn$	rm (N ^o . 88) rn (N ^o . 91) $r mn$ (= 90°)	mn	
98	$S mn$	Sm, Sn and mn	$S mn$ and mSn	See fig. 5.
99	$m n \gamma$	$m n, n \gamma$ (= $Sn - Sm$) $m \gamma n$ (= 90°)	$m n \gamma$	$180^\circ - S mn - m n \gamma = nSP$

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N ^o .	Triang.	Given.	Sought.	Remarks.
100	S π Ω	S π , S Ω (N ^o . 92) S π Ω	π S Ω	π SP - π S Ω = PS Ω . Perihelion from [Node.
101	S π θ	S π , π S θ , and S θ π (= 90°)	S θ	$\frac{\theta \pi + S \theta}{2}$ = SP. Perihelion Distance.
102		Parabolick space PS π - PS m , is to PS m , as time between the observations, to time between the Perihelion and first observation		
				} Time of Perihelion.

N. B. The parabolick space may be either taken out of the table of the parabola, or calculated in the same manner that was done.

N^o. 7. I call the time between the first and second observations U, and that between the second and third W. Then a fidereal year is to the whole time, as the circumference of the circle to the arc moved in that time: and the square of half that arc, divided by twice the radius, is the earth's fall toward the sun in half the time.

N^o. 6, 7, 8. I find BE this way rather than Sir Isaac Newton's, which is only an approximation, and irregularly too great or too small, as the times are more or less unequally divided, and T ι τ in the more or less curved parts of the earth's orbit. But this way, if found as in N^o. 23, 24, would be true; and S μ being not yet known, I use SB for it, which is very nearly the same: nor is I μ yet found, but as the comet has been already constructed, it is there given near enough for this process.

N^o. 20. Since, by Greg. V. 18, the right line π S ξ = 3 S π is the truth, full as easy, and, requiring no taking out natural numbers, is less liable to error, I wonder Sir Isaac chose to approximate it by the point σ , and $\sigma \xi$ = 3 S σ + 3 $i \lambda$. (See his fig. Book III. Prop. 41.)

N^o. 23, 24. In Greg. V. 21, the comet's fall at the height SL is MV = VZ, (see his fig.) Now B and μ nearly coinciding, by similar triangles SB: S γ (N^o. 5):: SL (= S μ + $\frac{1}{3}$ I μ): SL. Again, SL²: R²:: $\zeta \psi$ (the earth's mean fall): the fall at the point L. Greg. I. 42. And by similar triangles SL: S μ + $\frac{1}{3}$ I μ :: the fall at L: BE; then SL³: R² \times S μ + $\frac{1}{3}$ I μ :: $\zeta \psi$: BE. This is the true length of μ Z or BE, and seldom sensibly different from BE', which yet being more perpendicular to AC, is a little shorter; and if BE is so long and so oblique to AC, that the very small angle EBE' will sensibly alter its length, then the sine of BE' b : sine of BE b :: BE: BE' may be something truer.

N^o. 36. The third proportional to S μ and S μ + $\frac{1}{3}$ I μ , which is the truth, see Greg. V. 20, is easier found in Logarithms than S μ + $\frac{1}{3}$ I μ .

N^o. 37. It is here fit to shew cause for this considerable variation from Sir Isaac Newton. Greg. V. 20, shews that a body at the height SR (see his fig.) would move the chord AB, while the comet really moved the arc AVB. Now μ , l and ρ , in fig. 2, are the projection on the plain of the ecliptick of his V, L and R: then SR, the hypotenuse of the right-angled triangle S ρ R, is Gregory's line SR, and therefore the length sought. Sir Isaac's ID = S μ + $\frac{2}{3}$ $i \lambda$ is nearly the same as S ρ ; but his IO, being the comet's

comet's mean height above the ecliptick, may if the time is unequally divided, and the inclination of the comet great, considerably differ from the height sought at $S\epsilon$, which is in $S\mu$ produced: therefore, as in N°. 23, $SB:S\gamma::S\epsilon:SR$, by similar triangles.

N°. 38, 39. M and N being the points the comet was really in, perpendicularly over A' and C', TA', the curtate distance, is to A'M the height, as radius to tang. of the apparent latitude at the first observation. The like of C'N.

N°. 41. The reason of this double proportion is this: MN, and of course A'C' and the perpendicular Ye, is too large in the proportion of MN to MP; but MP will increase or diminish, as $\sqrt{S\gamma'}$ is less or greater than $\sqrt{S\gamma}$. Greg. I. 27. This however is very hard to find, and only an approximation at last. An easier and as good a way is, to compare the error of the last construction with the error now found by calculation: thus NP—NP the difference of the errors, is to tB—tB the difference of the guesses, as NP the present error, to the required correction of tB.

N°. 80, 81. Sir Isaac Newton takes $CG=NP$; but as the correction is in the plain of AC, not of MN, I make G the projection of P, as C is of N. And if CG is not parallel to cg (fig. 3.) or Cc bears not the same proportion to tC, as Aa to TA, it may make some difference in the places of x and z, though seldom much.

N°. 80, 81, 82, 84, are not wanted if AC is parallel to ac; for then 83 and 85 will be, $NP \pm np:NP::Aa:Ax::Cc:Cz$.

Sir Isaac Newton in his next proposition, and Dr. Gregory V. 31, shew how, by the rule of false, to correct still further the comet's orbit as above found: but that I have here omitted, as hoping and expecting that the directions I have given, being contrived to avoid all error as much as possible, will give the orbit true enough without that laborious correction, which I can hardly think is much less trouble than the calculation of the orbit itself. The changing the comet's *parabolick orbit* into its real *elliptical one*, by this correction, thereby to discover its period, can I doubt be at best but imperfectly done, from the small part of the orbit we can see, especially if so true a parabola as the comet of 1744 had: and unless we see a comet for a very long time, we must be content to wait for that more certain, though tedious discovery, the returning after another period. If any one however, desirous of the utmost exactness, chuses to undertake this last correction, Sir Isaac Newton and Dr. Gregory have both explained and shewn the use of it.

As several persons, especially of late years, have apply'd themselves to finding by Sir Isaac Newton's method, the orbits of several comets, but the result of their labours is no-where that I know of, collected into one view, I have here made a general table of all that I have found. And as since 1700 many are calculated by two persons, I set down both orbits, not always knowing which is best, and thinking it useful to preserve all,

to be at leisure compared, either by observations already made, or by those who shall see their next returns. Some of these different orbits vary little, as that of 1744, others differ widely, as that of 1739; probably sometimes from defectiveness in the observations one or both of the calculators used. I found several difficulties in making this table, from false prints, and authors not being always careful to set down the *ascending node*, having more than once found two persons set down the same comet's node in the opposite signs. By comparing the orbits with the observations, I have aimed to avoid mistakes, but have not met with observations of all of them to compare with, and lesser errors may escape; if therefore the authors, or any one else, shall find any mistake inadvertently slipped in, I shall be obliged to them for an account of it, and not fail to correct it when opportunity offers. See the list in table I.

The first 7 of these comets, and those of 1593 and 1596, being but imperfectly observed, can be but grossly done; as also those of 1678 and 1702, unless the calculators used better observations than I have found: that of 1533 will by no means suit the observations in Hevelius, so that I suspect some mistake or false print: Struijck gives the comet of 1699 from Caille, but makes the perihelion Jan. 2, and the ascending node in π , which is right I do not know, any further than that I have found Caille carelessly setting down the wrong node in other instances: not having met with the observations, I can say nothing of the accuracy of those of 1699, 1706, 7, 29, 43, and 48: Downes's orbit of the comet of 1718 suits best, so far as I have tried it, and Caille's of 1739: none of the orbits of the comet of Jan. 1742 agree well with the set of observations in Phil. Trans. No. 481; mine, which was calculated from the observations there mentioned of Mar. 2 and 16, and Apr. 2, agrees I think as well as any of them, but generally gives the latitude too small, being done a good while ago, from a more imperfect list of triangles than that here given in pages 9, 10, 11: C and Struijck differ 10 degrees in the node of the comet of December 1742, which is probably a false print, but I cannot correct it: the comet of 1747 was seen in August 1746, half a year before its perihelion, being then between two and three times as far from the earth as the sun is, and between three and four times the earth's distance off the sun; and its perihelion being above twice the earth's distance, we must not expect exactness there: Dr. Bradley's two comets of 1723 and 1737 are very accurate; as is also Betts's of 1744, calculated from observations made between Dec. 23, 1743, and Feb. 18, 1743-4; but as it was seen for a little while about two months before, when far distant from the earth, and much more from the sun, I have compared three observations sent me from Mr. Morris with Betts's orbit, and found them to agree perfectly; which proves both the truth of the elements, and that the comet's ellipsis was so far at least insensibly different from a parabola; or else those observations, made four months before the perihelion, and two before the obser-

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vations the orbit was found by, would not have agreed so well: the hour of observation not being given, I have in the following table calculated for 8^h 17' each evening.

Comet of 1744, seen in 1743.					
Observation.			Calculation.		
	Long.	Lat.		Long.	Lat.
Oct. 22	8 26.46	N. 7.35	8 26.41	N. 7.35	
27	24.14	8.28	24.15	8.31	
Nov. 1	21.25	9.26	21.25	9.28	

I collected these orbits from first, Dr. Halley's 24 comets, now printed in his astronomical tables; secondly, Caille's list in his astronomy, art. 560, Robertson's translation, page 236; thirdly, a collection by N. Struijck, Phil. Transf. N°. 492; fourthly, several single ones, 1723, 37, 39, 44, and 1264, from Phil. Transf. N°. 382, 446, 461, 474, and Vol. 47, page 283, and Mr. G. Whiston's of 1718, from himself. The reason of my adding and altering some particulars in this table are these: the articles used in calculating a comet's place are, the time of the perihelion, log. of diurnal motion, distance of perihelion from node, cosine and sine of the comet's inclination, place of the node, whether direct or retrograde, and log. of the perihelion distance; these therefore are all inserted: and since, notwithstanding care, false prints will sometimes creep in, and I have met with difficulties from them, I aim to frame this table so as to find them out. The observations will soon shew whether the year of the comet is right; but on the second column I neither have, nor know how to find any check: the log. of the diurnal motion is found from the log. of the perihelion distance, if therefore these articles agree together, both are probably right, if they do not, the natural perihelion distance will shew which is true: the perihelion place is a fictitious thing, for its distance from the node is measured in the plain of the comet's orbit; but that, especially in a very oblique comet, is by no means the same number of degrees on the ecliptick, except at the nodes and their perpendiculars; the only use therefore of inserting it is, by comparing that, the node, and perih. post nod. together, to find out any false print: as to the seventh column, Dr. Halley gave the distance of the perihelion from the node, whether before or after; but I count the number of degrees a comet moves, from passing its ascending node to its perihelion, whether more or less than 180 degrees; this saves a little trouble in computing a comet's place, as I shall shew when I come to explain that, (see page 18). The node, being the connexion of the plain of the ecliptick with the comet's orbit, is the key of the whole work; and whoever calculates or collects orbits, should remember, that it is the *ascending*

ing node must be inserted, and the article perih. post nod. reckoned from that, or else confusion is caused, and the comet found in false latitude: giving the inclination of the orbit is not strictly necessary, if its sine and cosine are but given, which prove one another: the twelfth column needs no explaining: and in the last I give the calculator's name, where I know it; but as Caille names no author, those taken only from him are marked C, as I can trace them no further.

Dr. Halley made a table of the parabola, for finding a comet's place at any time, printed with his list of orbits, and shewed the way of using it: he goes the direct way, for, dividing the first quadrant of the parabola into 100 equal parts, he gives the angle each is in from the vertex, and its increase of distance from the focus: but the calculation being tedious, and one such part altering the angle but little, at a distance from the vertex, he computed every part only to 100, that is, to the *latus rectum*, and to every second, fourth part, or greater interval afterwards. This table is 240 lines in all, but though very useful has some defects; for, being too short, the differences are often too large, and too unequal, for finding proportional parts truly, especially in the log. of the distance; again, proportional parts can hardly be found at the breaks, where the interval alters from 1 to 2, 4, 10, 20, 500, 40000, and 50000; lastly, it may however serve as far as 1000, that is, $144^{\circ}\frac{1}{2}$ from the perihelion, which is far enough for many comets, but those whose perihelion distance is small, are seen much further; that of 1680 goes near $162^{\circ}\frac{1}{2}$ within four days after its perihelion, and may be seen to about 174° , this table therefore will by no means do for that. Finding these inconveniences, and not caring for so difficult a calculation as Dr. Halley's, I thought of interlining his table by the differences, but found it very troublesome; and being advised to make a new table, on an easier plan, to find the distance and space from the angle, I considered it, and found the demonstration plain, the calculation very easy, the method such as might be carried on regularly, from beginning to end of the table, and having finished it, the differences were more regular than I expected; for proportional parts will determine to about half a second, the angle the comet of 1680 is in from the sun, at the greatest distance we can see it, and the log. of distance almost to perfect exactness, in any part of the table. The principles of this method may be seen in fig. 7. and let R stand for radius, *s* for sine, and *v* for versine.

- (1) $\begin{cases} SC = ST = SR & \text{De la Hire's plain conicks.} \\ Sc = St = Sr & \text{Parabola, Prop. 4, cor.} \end{cases}$
- (2) $\begin{cases} PQ = PT = SC - SP = s - 1 \\ Pq = Pt = Sc - SP = s - 1 \end{cases} \text{ Prop. 7.}$
- (3) $RQ = rq = 2SP \quad \text{Prop. 9.}$
- (4) $SmnP = \frac{2}{3}Sm \times SP = 1.3 \quad \therefore 1 = \frac{3}{2}SmnP$
- (5) $\begin{cases} RQ:SC::v. \text{ of } RSC:R \\ rq:Sc::v. \text{ of } rSc:R \end{cases} :: 2:s = \frac{2}{v} \quad (\text{See 1. and 3.})$

- (6) $R : s :: e : \sigma = \rho s$
- (7) $\begin{cases} SCmP = \frac{1}{2} SP + \frac{1}{8} PQ \times \sigma \\ ScnP = \frac{1}{2} SP + \frac{1}{8} Pq \times \sigma \end{cases}$ Quadrature of parabola.
- (8) $\begin{cases} \frac{3}{4} SCmP = \frac{3SP + PQ}{8} \times \sigma = \frac{3+e-1}{8} \times \sigma = \frac{2+e}{8} \times \sigma \\ \frac{3}{4} ScnP = \frac{3SP + Pq}{8} \times \sigma = \frac{3+e-1}{8} \times \sigma = \frac{2+e}{8} \times \sigma \end{cases}$
- e may be found a little easier thus, by fig. 8.
- (9) $SB^2 = AB \times VB = 2Rv$ by similar triangles.
- (10) $SM^2 = \frac{Rv}{2} = s^2$ of $\frac{1}{2} SCB$
- (11) $\frac{R}{SM^2} = \frac{2R}{Rv} = \frac{2}{v} = e$ as before found.

Examples of the first method.

Angle from aphelion $112^\circ.55'$			$65^\circ.50'$		
2	0.3010300		0.3010300		
v	0.1428248		9.7712991		
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$\sigma \begin{cases} e \\ s \end{cases}$	0.1582052 = 1.4394		0.5297309 = 3.3863		
	9.9642937	2.	9.9601655	2.	
$2+e$	0.5364926	237	0.7312940	55	
Ar. Comp. 8.	9.0969100	126	9.0969100	81	
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$ScnP$	9.7559015	302	0.3181004	129	
		99		34	

Examples of the latter method.

Angle rSc $122^\circ.45'$			Angle RSC $61^\circ.10'$		
	1.2978		3.8629		
R	<hr/>		<hr/>		
SM^2	0.1132346		0.5869212	n	
s	9.9248161	268	9.9425171	77	
$2+e$	0.5182349	132	0.7681176	74	
Ar. Comp. 8.	9.0969100		9.0969100	<hr/>	
<hr/>			<hr/>		
$ScnP$	9.6531956	334	0.3944659	112	
		106		51	

This method of calculation, by which the parabolick table, N^o. II. is made to every fifth minute of angle, supposes, as is the natural and regular way, that the parabolick space at 90 degrees from the vertex is 1, and so I should have entered it in the table, had I been to choose; but Dr. Halley having divided that space into 100 parts, and fitted the log. of diurnal motion and method of reckoning to that, I have, to avoid confusion, suited my

my table to his, by adding two to the index of the space as above found. The log. of distance proceeds regularly all the way, with increasing differences; but one break was necessary in the mean motion, for the log. of space is extremely unequal near the perihelion, as is the natural space at a great distance from it; the first 45 degrees therefore is the natural space, and the rest of the table its logarithm: yet no difficulty can hence arise, since both are very regular where the table alters. As the differences increase very fast toward the end of the table, No. III. shews how near proportional parts will give a comet's real angle and distance: 45 degrees from the perihelion is tried, because there the differences of the log. of mean motion decrease, while those of the log. of distance increase, yet no sensible error does thence arise: few comets are seen above 155 degrees, nor that of 1680 more than about 174 degrees from the perihelion. The two first columns are the angle, and true log. of mean motion; the third is the angle which proportional parts would give as answering to that logarithm: for instance, 7.522283 is the true log. of mean motion for $178^{\circ}.57'.30''$, but proportional parts would give $178^{\circ}.57'.27''$ for it, that is $3''$ wrong; and 7.523327, the arithmetical mean between the mean motion at $178^{\circ}.55'$ and 179° , would be called the log. of mean motion for $178^{\circ}.57'.30''$. The fourth column is the true logarithm of distance; and the fifth what logarithm of distance proportional parts would give, as answering to the true log. of mean motion: and though the differences increase so greatly toward the end of the table, yet as both log. of mean motion and log. of distance increase proportionally, no error is thereby caused; and this is the case used in calculating a comet's place: but if on any other occasion, the log. of distance at any certain angle is required, the sixth column gives the log. of distance found by equal divisions, the seventh its error, and the eighth how much that point of the parabola is by this error carried too far from the focus: for instance, 2.115806 is the true log. of distance at $169^{\circ}.57'\frac{1}{2}$, by equal divisions 2.115813 will be found for it, which is 7 too much, and that point is by this means made $\frac{1}{30000}$ th part too far distant from the focus; this is the greatest error between $169^{\circ}.55'$ and 170° , for if tried at $169^{\circ}.56'$, $57'$, $58'$, or $59'$, the error is less. We see then that in the case of computing a comet's place, this table will never err more than half a second in angle, (much nicer than any orbit is known,) and in all places gives the log. of distance true.

Since the velocity of a body moving in a parabola, is to that of one moving in a circle, as $\sqrt{2}$ to 1, (Newton's *Princ.* I. 16, cor. 7.) the periodical time of a planet, is to the time a comet of equal perihelion distance takes to go its first quadrant, as the area of the circle $= 1 \times 3.14159$, to the area of that quadrant divided by the $\sqrt{2}$, that is, $\frac{1 \times \frac{1}{4}}{\sqrt{2}} = 1 \times \frac{2}{3} \times \sqrt{2}$; and is therefore thus found, in a comet whose perihelion distance is the radius of the *magnus orbis*:

$$3.14159:\frac{1}{4}\sqrt{2}::365^d.6^h.9'.12''(365.25639):(109.61543)109^d.14^h.46'.13''.$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 365.25639 = 2.5625978 \\ \sqrt{2} \quad 0.1505150 \\ 2 \quad 0.3010300 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 3 \quad 0.4771212 \\ 3.14159 \quad 0.4971499 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 109.61543 = 2.0398717 \\ 100. \quad 2. \end{array}$$

$$0.9122802 = 9.9601283 \text{ Diurnal motion.}$$

Diurnal motion of comet 1682.

Comet 1664.

$$\begin{array}{r} \text{Log. perih. } 9.765877 \\ \frac{1}{2} \quad 9.882939 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 0.011044 \\ 5522 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \text{Perih. fefq. } 9.648816 \\ 9.960128 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 0.016566 \\ 9.960128 \end{array}$$

$$\text{Log. d. mot. } 0.311312$$

$$9.943562$$

Its diurnal motion therefore is 100, the number of parts that quadrant is divided into, divided by $109^h.14^d.46'.13''$, the time it is going it; that is, 0.912280, whose log. is 9.960128. Hence any other comet's diurnal motion is found; for velocity is reciprocally as the square root of the distance from the sun, and the sine of the angle (and therefore in small angles the angle itself) is reciprocally as the distance; the apparent motion therefore of a comet as seen from the sun, is reciprocally as the cube of the square root of its distance: the velocity being the root, the distance is the square, and the apparent motion the cube. The diurnal motion therefore, of which I have just given two examples, is perih. fefq. : 1 :: 0.912280 : diurnal motion.

The log. of diurnal motion thus found, saves the four lines used in finding it every time the comet's place is computed: the log. of the time between the comet's perihelion and time sought (reduced to decimals of a day, by table VII.) added to the log. of diurnal motion, gives the log. of mean motion, and if that is above 1.517428, its natural number is not wanted: find then in the parabolick table, N^o. II. the article next below the mean motion sought, and say, difference : remainder :: 300'' : proportional parts :: difference of log. of distance : its proportional parts.

Required the angle and log. of distance, answering to 1.519782; this is above $45^\circ.15'$; then $986:378::300:115::263:101$; the angle therefore is $45^\circ.16'.55''$, and the log. of distance 0.069658. The next thing wanted is the comet's

angle from the node: here, that we may always find it by addition, and save two lines in doing it by a single process, and not take it first from the perihelion, and thence from the node, I vary from Dr. Halley's method; for the article perih. post nodum is always the angle the comet moves, after passing its ascending node till it comes to the perihelion, be it more or less than 180 degrees; and using always the angle the comet has moved since its

378	2.577	2.577
300	2.477	2.420
986	2.994	2.994
115 = 2.060	101 = 2.003	

its last perihelion, (by taking the supplement to 360° , of the angle found by the parabolick table, if the place computed is before the comet's perihelion,) these two angles must always be added together, whether the comet is direct or retrograde, before or after its perihelion, and in whatever part of the orbit its node is; and rejecting 360° if necessary, if the angle is less than 180° the comet is in *north latitude*, if more, in *south*. The tangent and sine of this angle being used in the two next proportions, we must observe, that an angle, its supplement, and 180° more or less, have the same sine and tangent, and that the angle reduced to the ecliptick, is always nearer 0, 180 , or 360 degrees, than the angle from the node. So then $R : \cos. \text{ of Incl. of the orbit} :: \text{tang. of angle from node} : \text{tang. of the angle on the ecliptick}$, which added to the place of the comet's node if direct, or subtracted if retrograde, gives the *heliocentrick longitude*; as $R : s. \text{ Incl.} :: s. \text{ of angle from node} : s. \text{ of heliocentrick latitude}$.

Again, the log. of the comet's perihelion distance, + log. of its increased distance as above found, + cos. of heliocentrick latitude, gives the projection of the comet's place on the plain of the ecliptick, and the sun's place and distance from the earth being found, in the triangle SCE, fig. 10, are given SC, SE, and CSE, therefore the lesser side is to the greater, as $R : \text{tang. of an angle}$, and $R : \text{tang. of that angle} - 45^\circ :: \text{tangent of half the sum} : \text{tang. of half the difference of the two other angles}$; then $\frac{1}{2}$ the sum + $\frac{1}{2}$ the difference being the greater, and $\frac{1}{2}$ sum - $\frac{1}{2}$ difference the lesser angle, the comet's *geocentrick longitude* is thence known. Lastly, $EC : SC$, that is, sine of angle at the sun : sine of angle at the earth :: tang. of heliocentrick latitude : tang. of *geocentrick*. Taking out natural numbers being troublesome and liable to error, I avoid it as much as may be; for instance, when the sine of the heliocentrick latitude is 9.852389, which is above $45^\circ.23'$, its cosine and tangent are wanted, but not the angle itself; then difference of sine is to difference of tangent, as remainder of sine to remainder of tangent; $21 : 42 :: 18 : 36$ for the tangent, which is therefore 10.005847, as the cosine is 9.846542. In like manner let 10.261606 be the tangent of an angle above $61^\circ.17'.50''$; then the tangent of 45° less, or above $16^\circ.17'.50''$ is thus found, $50 : 78 :: 27 : 42$, the tangent then is 9.465972.

78	1.892
27	1.431
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50	1.699
42	1.624

Of the Discoveries concerning Comets.

Caille's Comet of 1739.				Barker's Comet of Jan. 1742.			
Log. diurn. mot.	0.217546	May 17 ^d . 8 ^h . 39'		0.130344	Feb. 18 ^d . 8 ^h . 32'		
Time 20.0556	1.302236	Perih. June 6. 9. 59		20.7368	1.316742	Jan. 28. 14. 51	
		20. 1. 20				20. 17. 41	
Log. mean mot.	1.519782	1. 12		1.447086		16. 48	
Natural number		7. 12		27.9954		43. 12	
Angle	45°. 16'. 55"	378.577	577	39°. 23'. 34"	495.695	695	8 38
Supplement	314. 43. 5	300.477	263.420		300.477	226.354	1 09
Perih. post node	104. 46. 34	986.994	994	328. 30. 10	694.841	841	
		115.060	101.003		214.331	161.208	
Ang. from node	59. 29. 39			7. 53. 44			
Cof. Inclination	9.750778			9.582340			
T. ang. from node	10.229750			9.142021			
		3. 8°. 17'. 35"	0.006154			3. 8°. 20'. 37"	9.996519
Tangent of angle	9.980528			8.724361			11
on ecliptick	43°. 42'. 58"			3°. 2'. 4"			
Sine of Inclinat.	9.917095			9.965701			
S. ang. from node	9.935294			9.137884			
S. helioc. lat.	9.852389			9.103585			
Helioc. lat.							
Long.	13°. 42'. 16"			2°. 7'. 26"			
Log. of perih.	9.828388			9.886522			
Log. of distance	0.069658			0.052367			
Cof. helioc. lat.	9.846542			9.996473			
Curtate distance	9.744588			9.935362			
Earth from sun	0.006194			9.996530			
		1739, 6°. 12'. 13". 42"					
		May 17. 4. 15. 1. 38					
		8 ^h . 19. 43					
		39' 1. 36					
		10. 27. 36. 39					
		3. 8. 17. 58					
		1. 1. 13					
		+					
		Sun's place 2. 6. 55. 50					
Tangent	10.261606	78	8°. 6'. 55". 50"	10.061168	33½	6°. 2'. 7". 26"	
Angle	61°. 17'. 50"	27	5. 13. 42. 16	49°. 1'. 10"	301	5. 11. 9. 8	
T. of ang. — 45°	9.465972	50	2. 23. 13. 34	8.846994	42½	20. 58. 18	
Tang. of ½ sum	10.051465	42	3. 6. 46. 26	10.732633	238	159. 1. 42	
		½ sum	48. 23. 13			79. 30. 51	
Tang. of ½ diff.	9.517437	½ diff.	18. 13. 14	9.579627		20. 48. 0	
			66. 36. 27				
S. ang. at earth	9.701147		30. 9. 59	9.931756	54	100. 18. 51	
Tang. helioc. lat.	10.005847			9.107112	167	58. 42. 51	
			See fig. 10.				
S. ang. at sun	9.996958			9.553769	165	See fig. 11.	
Tang. geoc. lat.	9.710036			9.485099	55		
Geocent. lat.	N. 27°. 9'. 10"	Place observed.				Place observed.	
Long.	☉ 7. 5. 50	N. 27°. 9'		N. 16°. 59'. 30"		N. 16°. 58'	
		☉ 7. 6		☉ 12. 26. 20		☉ 12. 24	

Besides calculating a comet's place, the parabolick table may be used in drawing any *parabola*. For, first, the natural number of the log. of distance at any angle, is the distance of that point of the parabola from the focus, in parts of the focal length; thus any number of points may be set off, by the angle from the vertex, and distance from the focus. Thus the log.

log. of distance at 42 degrees from the vertex is 0.059697; its natural number 1.14735, that point of the parabola therefore is distant from the focus about $1\frac{1}{7}$ of the focal length.

Secondly, One process reduces this distance from the focus, to any other known measure: as let the focal length of a parabola be 3.6 inches; then a point 42 degrees of angle from the vertex is 4.1305 inches from the focus

Log. dist.	0.059697
3.6	0.556302
	0.615999
Dist. in inches	4.1305

Thirdly, The angle in a parabola, at a great distance from the vertex, alters very little; in that case therefore, the points may perhaps be better set off, by the distances from the focus and from the axis, that is, the ordinate; which is thus found, R:s.

ang. from vertex :: dist. from focus : ordinate. And if it be thought better, it may be done by the ordinate and abscissa, which is always one focal length less than the distance from the focus. Take for instance the ordinate, distance from focus, and abscissa at 170 degrees from the vertex, both in parts of the focal length and inches.

S. 170° —	9.239670	9.239670
Dist. a foc.	2.119408	In. 2.119408
Focal length	3.6	= 0.556302
Ordinate	1.359078	1.915380
	22.8601	Inches 82.2962
Dist. a foc.	131.6461	473.9254
Abscissa	130.6461	470.3254

Fourthly, But the best way to draw a comet's orbit round the sun is, marking the points at some certain interval from each other, as suppose 4, 8, 12, &c. days motion from the perihelion; hereby the point the comet is in at any time may quickly be known. To find these points, multiply the comet's diurnal motion by the number of days; the angle in the table corresponding to that, is the angle it is from the perihelion; as the corresponding log. of distance + log. of perihelion distance, gives the distance from the sun, in parts of the *magnus orbis*. Try the comet of 1682, 40 days from its perihelion.

Log. diur. mot.	0.311312
40 days	1.602060
	1.913372
Ang. from per.	82°. 9'
Log. dist.	0.245413
Log. perih.	9.765877
	0.011290
Comet from sun	1.0263
Log. diur. mot.	3.279469
120 days	2.079181
	5.358650
Angle	174°. 30'. 35"
Log. dist.	2.639480
Log. perih.	7.787106
2.6705 =	0.426586
S. of angle	8.980807
	9.407393
Ordinate	0.2555

Fifthly, When a comet whose perihelion distance is very small, is a great way from the sun, its angle from the perihelion alters very slowly; the points therefore, if thought better, may be laid out by the distances from the sun and from the axis, as just now proposed in the third use. Find then the angle distance and ordinate of the comet of 1680, at 120 days from its perihelion. Yet if when a comet is much further from the sun than the earth is, its

angle be not set off in the *magnus orbis*, but on a larger concentrick circle, it will I believe be as well done, by the angle from the perihelion and distance from the sun.

In this manner the angle, distance and ordinate of the comet of 1680, and the angle and distance of that of 1682, are given for every fourth day from the perihelion, as far as they can be seen, in table VIII. Table IX. gives the length of the abscissa and ordinate of a parabola, in parts of the focal length, for every tenth degree, and oftener at last. And table X. gives the hourly motion of a comet, at different distances from the sun, (which is as the square root of its distance,) both in parts of the earth's mean distance, and in miles, supposing the earth 77,000,000 of miles from the sun, that is the sun's parallax $10\frac{1}{2}$ seconds; and the times which comets of different perihelion distances take to go from their perihelion to their *latus rectum*; which are to one another as the square root of the cube of their perihelion distance, as I mentioned above in page 18.

Sixthly, As to the use of the table in the parabolick motion of projectiles, see fig. 7. The abscissa PQ , which is the height they rise, is always equal to $SC - SP$, that is one less than the distance from the focus, which is given by the table: the horizontal distance they fly, is twice the ordinate CQ : and $QT (= 2PQ$, that is twice the abscissa) is to CQ (the ordinate) as radius to cot. of QCT , the angle of elevation.

Calculating a comet's place by a parabola, which is a very regular figure, has no proper difficulty in it; yet, being full 30 lines besides the sun's place, &c. is tedious; therefore an easy way to construct a comet's place may be very useful, where only a general account of a comet's motion is wanted, though by no means sufficient where nicety is required. See then fig. 9. On a sheet of pasteboard draw a circle five or ten inches radius for the *magnus orbis*, the center of which is the sun; and the real distance of the earth may be marked about the eighth degree of each sine, a little without the circle from \pm to γ , and a little within it from γ to \pm ; and divide the circle into signs and degrees. From the table of elements, N^o. 1. mark true, both as to angle and distance, the perihelion of the comet required: through the sun draw the axis of the parabola, and by article 4. of the uses of the parabolick table, (page 21) set off the several points of the orbit, where the comet is at every fourth day's interval, on on each side of its perihelion. But as comets do not move in the plain of the ecliptick, on the proper angle, draw through the sun its line of nodes, and from the several points of the orbit, let fall perpendiculars upon it; on them mark a fresh row of points, whose distance from the line of nodes shall each be to their respective perpendiculars, as the cosine of the inclination of the comet's orbit is to radius. These points, which for distinction I make little crosses, form the curve of the projection of the comet's orbit on the plain of the ecliptick, which is always used in constructing a comet's place, and is, as Caille shews, art. 519 of his astronomy, itself also a parabola,

rabola, yet has by no means the same focus or position of axis, as the orbit itself; as would more plainly appear, by drawing the comet of 1577. For better distinction, the parabola itself is a fine stroke; the figures are written on that side of the orbit which is farthest from the line of nodes, and consequently from the projection of the orbit on the ecliptick; and the titles of the comets, are written the same way as the comet moves. Thus is the orbit of a comet made ready for use at any time, and its apparent place may be thus found:

Count the days from the comet's perihelion to the time required, and mark the point in the projection of the orbit, over which the comet then is; lay one edge of a parallel rule, from that point to the place of the earth at the same time, and the other edge passing through the sun, will cut the *magnus orbis* in the apparent longitude of the comet. Again, draw two right lines, cutting each other in the angle of the comet's inclination; from their intersection set off in one of them the length of the perpendicular from the comet's curtate place to the line of nodes, and a perpendicular erected to the other is the tangent of the comet's apparent latitude, making the curtate distance of the comet from the earth the radius. Thus may first, the course of a known comet quickly be traced, and in what part of the heavens to expect first to see it, when it returns again, be found; for since the period of no comet is yet known exactly, and for the reasons mentioned in page 5, they will not perhaps be always equal, we cannot fix the very month a comet will return in; and should therefore know where to look, if it comes a little sooner or later than is expected. Secondly, when a known comet returns, one observation will, with this scheme, shew its whole future course; for from the earth's place, at the time of observation, draw a line in the observed longitude of the comet, this cuts the projection of the comet's orbit in the place where it then was, whether the latitude agrees may be tried as above directed; and the day's motion marked on that curve, will shew where it will be at any other time. Thirdly, the periods of comets may perhaps be sometimes found by this scheme, when the observations are too defective to calculate the orbit by. For instance, no comet seen in August in \approx can be that of 1682, nor can one seen in June easily be that of 1680, which must be then close to or beyond the sun, but one seen in January between \approx and Π may; it remains then to try, whether the latitude, motion, and other circumstances agree with what might be expected of that comet, and as they agree or not, there is a probability of its being the same, or a proof that it is not.

I have chosen as an example of this method of constructing, the comet of 1682, which is shortly expected to return; and in twelve short tables, N°. XI. supposing its perihelion any month in the year, shew what the apparent course of the comet would be, which are very different one from another; for as appears on view, from April to November it would move direct, be in some of the signs from γ counting forward to \downarrow , and chiefly

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in north latitude: between November and April it would be retrograde, between Π and ϖ counting backward, and be seen, disappear, and be seen again: that if seen about the beginning of summer, being at or a little after its perihelion, it would make the best shew, and be seen the shortest time; but will make very little figure in winter. The two first articles in each table, are the place about which the comet might be first seen, if its perihelion should prove that day which is set at the head of the table; for instance, if its next perihelion should be Sept. 23, whether 1757 or 1758, then about August 14 it may begin to be seen, being in 24 degrees of Π , with 7 or 8 degrees north latitude. These tables shew in general how the comet would move, but in the middle of its course cannot be depended upon for a nicety; as a small inaccuracy may occasion great error, if the comet should cross the *magnus orbis* in its descent toward the sun about the middle of October, or in its ascent about the beginning of May, when it may move 40° in a day: so also if its perihelion should be a week or fortnight different from what I have supposed, it may make a considerable variation in its track. The two known periods of this comet are indeed more different than one could suspect; for the last was not 75 years, and an equal interval would make its next perihelion July 25, 1757; but if this revolution should be as long as the former was, that is above 76 years, it cannot be till Oct. 25, 1758. Yet as the rest of the elements agree so well all the three times, we cannot but suppose them to be the same; and as I can see no principle in nature to make its period alternately longer and shorter, I can refer the different intervals to nothing but those irregularities to which comet's orbits are liable. Yet on this account I have in another table, N^o. XII. shewn in what part of the heavens the comet may be expected to begin to be seen, in any month of the year; as suppose it first gets near enough to be seen the beginning of July, we find that its apparent motion will be then direct, its place the beginning of Π , the latitude north and increasing, and that it will come to its perihelion about a month afterwards.

Thus I have treated of the motion of comets, the gradual discovery of it, the way to find their real path, and to trace it either with respect to the sun or the earth; by which means we may hope to know the times of their revolutions better hereafter. But of their nature and uses I have not ventured to speak, chusing rather to leave such points as are at present so little, I may almost say not at all known, to those, if any such shall hereafter be, who by greater light afforded them shall be enabled to search deeper into those hidden works of God. The works of an infinite Creator are without number; knowledge, though so greatly increased of late, has by no means compleated the search into the works of nature; fresh subjects of admiration and praise will still appear, as long as God sees fit to continue men upon earth, I nor can suppose that increase of knowledge will then cease. The farther we search into the works of God, the more instances of power, wisdom,

wisdom, and goodness we continually meet with. *There are yet hid greater things than these be, for we have seen but a few of his works*, was a wise remark of the son of Syrach, when contemplating and praising God for his many and wonderful works; and the same acknowledgment we may still make. For to begin near home, multitudes of things, both inanimate, plants, and animals familiar to us, were unknown in former times; and great proofs of wisdom and goodness appear in their several properties, the plentiful provision made for the well-being and support of all, and the fitness of every thing to its proper end, yet new discoveries are continually made. But how greatly does our prospect enlarge, when we look on this world only as one small part of the works of our Creator, and on every other planet and comet as a scene of as many and still various wonders! nor can we regard the most distant bodies otherwise than as multiplied instances of the same power and wisdom: how greatly then, considered in this light, *do the heavens declare the glory of God!*

These are thy glorious works, Parent of good
Almighty; thine this universal frame
Thus wondrous fair, thyself how wondrous then!

MILTON.

To come then to the present point, *he hath made all things for their uses*: comets, which are much more numerous than the planets, are doubtless designed for as wise ends, yet being so very different from them, both in appearance and motion, serve probably to quite different purposes; and possibly we who inhabit a planet, can have no more idea of the design of a comet, than one who never knew any thing of hearing could have of the use of an ear; he might justly conclude, that so artful a machine was not placed in the head for nothing, and so may we of comets, but the real intention we could in neither case find out. The appearance of a comet's tail is very surprizing, and various have been the guesses at the cause of it; Sir Isaac Newton's I think as plausible as any; yet it is much easier to make objections against any of the opinions, than to give a better.

I mean not hereby to discourage inquiry into the nature and uses of comets; no, there is scarce any employment better becomes a creature, than searching into any of the works of the great Creator. Yet let us not stop at the discovery of the works, but be thereby led to acknowledge the workmaster. *If we are astonished at their power and virtue, let us understand how much mightier he is that made them.* If we observe the uniformity of that universal principle of gravity, let us consider the infiniteness of that one God, who in so wonderful yet hidden a manner, restrains the amazing swiftness of such vast bodies, by a power which yet does not hinder the least creature of its proper motion. When we see that the same power which guides those numberless, vast, and immensely distant bodies, is yet

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not unmindful of the most minute, we must remember, that he who regards the good of the merely sensitive beings, will much more observe in every action, how we employ that reason he has entrusted us with: that nothing can be concealed from him who made all things; that one constantly employed in doing good cannot be pleased with trifling, nor the wise with folly; that the holy cannot but hate wickedness, the just abhor injustice, and the merciful detest cruelty; and that the all-powerful maker and ruler of the world, must needs in due time distinguish between *him that serveth God, and him that serveth him not*: and above all, that no swiftness can escape him, who threw the astonishingly swift planets and comets, and guides the still much more impetuous light; no distance avoid him, who is not confined to the entire solar system, nor to those multitudes of others, of which we can but just discover the central bright point; that no craft can deceive him from whom all the wisdom in the world is derived; and no power resist him, at whose rebuke the earth trembles, and the very foundations of the hills shake; nor can any greatness protect from him, who *made the small as well as the great, and careth for all alike*, and by whose stroke the greatest monarch is reduced to the same mouldering dust as the lowest of his subjects.

Again, if we admire the wisdom of God as shewn forth in his works, wonder at those inconceivably vast regions of light, the nebulous stars; the surprizing singularity of saturn's ring; and the entire diversity of the comets from the planets; whose uses are all too far beyond our ken to discover: and to come more within our own view, if we remark that wonderful instinct, by which *the swallow knoweth his appointed time*; the careful sorting of proper fruits and creatures, to all the so various climates on our own earth; and the no less surprizing diversity of inhabitants, allotted to such different mediums as air, water, earth, and still harder substances; and the connecting links as it were in the chain of beings, which are between plants and animals, air and water creatures, beasts and birds, &c. let none then pretend to be wiser than God, or above being taught by him; for as we cannot but know it is our interest to please him in whose power we entirely are, so it is as certain, that none knows his will so well as he does himself: nor can there well be a greater folly, than to prefer the uncertain deductions of frail, created reason, (which 4 or 5000 years experience shewed can never form a uniform system of morality; though it could not refuse its assent, when christianity had explained it;) to the clear discoveries, I do not say of unauthorized human glosses, but of the genuine revelations from perfect, self-existent wisdom. Two extremes are here to be avoided; either despising that noble faculty, and glory of man, *reason*, and refusing to see any thing, because we cannot see every thing; this is slighting the gift of God, hiding our talent in the earth, and tends to *enthusiasm*: or on the other hand so glorying in it, as to forget it is the gift of God, and preferring a candle to the light of the sun when offered;

offered; this is despising God himself, refusing to submit to his governance, and tends to *atheism*. Lastly, if on a review of the whole we may justly say, *the works of the Lord are great, sought out of all them that have pleasure therein*; it will appear from contemplating them, that *there is one wise and greatly to be feared, the Lord sitting on his throne*: and as it is plain, that *the Lord is king, be the people never so impatient*, so it is as true, when we consider his extensive wisdom and goodness, that *the earth may be glad thereof*. When therefore, reflecting on the power, wisdom, and goodness of God, as shining forth in his mighty works, *you glorify the Lord, exalt him as much as you can, for even yet he will far exceed; and when you exalt him put forth all your strength, and be not weary, for you can never go far enough*.



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TABLE I. *The Elements of the Orbits of*

	Time of Perihelion.	Perih. Dist.	Log. of it.	L. D. Mo.	Place of Perih.	Per. p. Nod.
1264	July 6 ^a 8 ⁿ "	44500	9.648360	0.487588	♊ 21° "	122° "
1337	June 2 6 25	40666	9.609236	0.546274	♊ 7 59 0	46 22 0
1472	Feb. 28 22 23	54273	9.734584	0.358252	♊ 15 33 30	236 12 50
1531	Aug. 24 21 18 30	56700	9.753583	0.329754	♊ 1 39 0	107 46 0
1532	Oct. 19 22 12	50910	0.706803	0.399924	♊ 21 7 0	30 40 0
1533	June 16 19 30 0	20280	9.307068	0.999526	♊ 27 16 0	338 28 0
1556	April 21 20 3	46390	9.666424	0.460492	♊ 8 50 0	103 8 0
1577	Oct. 26 18 45	18342	9.263447	1.064958	♊ 9 22 0	256 30 0
1580	Nov. 28 15 0	59628	9.775450	0.296953	♊ 19 5 50	90 8 30
1585	Sept. 27 19 20	1.09358	0.038850	9.901853	♊ 8 51 0	331 8 30
1590	Jan. 29 3 45	57661	9.760882	0.318805	♊ 6 54 30	308 36 10
1593	July 8 13 38	08911	8.949940	1.535218	♊ 26 19 0	12 4 45
1596	July 31 19 55	51293	9.710058	0.395041	♊ 18 16 0	83 56 30
1607	Oct. 16 3 50	58680	9.768490	0.307393	♊ 2 16 0	108 5 0
1618	Oct. 29 12 23	37975	9.579498	0.590881	♊ 2 14 0	286 13 0
1652	Nov. 2 15 40	84750	9.928140	0.067918	♊ 28 18 40	300 8 40
1661	Jan. 16 23 41	44851	9.651772	0.482470	♊ 25 58 40	33 28 10
1664	Nov. 24 11 52	1.02575 $\frac{1}{2}$	0.011044	9.943562	♊ 10 41 25	310 32 35
1665	April 14 5 15 30	10649	9.027309	1.419164	♊ 11 54 30	156 7 30
1672	Feb. 20 8 37	69739	9.843476	0.194914	♊ 16 59 30	109 29 0
1677	April 26 0 37 30	28059	9.448072	0.788020	♊ 17 37 5	99 12 5
1678	Aug. 16 14 3 0	1.23802	0.092727	9.821037	♊ 27 46 0	166 6 0
1680	Dec. 8 0 6	00612 $\frac{1}{2}$	7.787106	3.279469	♊ 22 39 30	350 37 30
1682	Sept. 4 7 39	58328	9.765877	0.311312	♊ 2 52 45	108 23 45
1683	July 3 2 50	56020	9.748343	0.337614	♊ 25 29 30	87 53 30
1684	May 29 10 16	96015	9.982339	9.986620	♊ 28 52 0	330 37 0
1686	Sept. 6 14 33	32500	9.511883	0.692304	♊ 17 0 30	86 25 50
1698	Oct. 8 16 57	69129	9.839660	0.200638	♊ 0 51 15	356 53 0
1699	Jan. 3 8 22	74400	9.871570	0.152773	♊ 2 31 6	289 14 29
1702	Mar. 2 14 12	64590	9.810165	0.244881	♊ 18 41 3	309 15 48
1706	{ Jan. 19 4 22	42581	9.629218	0.516301	♊ 12 29 10	59 17 30
	{ 19 4 56 0	42686 $\frac{1}{2}$	9.630291	0.514692	♊ 12 36 25	59 25 2
1707	{ Nov. 30 23 29	85974	9.934368	0.058576	♊ 19 54 56	27 8 21
	{ 30 23 43 6	85904	9.934013	0.059109	♊ 19 58 9	27 7 40
1718	{ Jan. 4 1 14 55	1.02565	0.010999	9.943629	♊ 1 26 36	6 28 50
	{ 3 23 38	1.02655	0.011380	9.943058	♊ 1 30 0	7 13 0
	{ 4 7 48	1.02743	0.011753	9.942499	♊ 1 3 40	7 17 20
1723	Sept. 16 16 10	99865	9.999414	9.961007	♊ 12 52 20	331 23 40
1729	{ June 14 10 56	4.26140	0.629552	9.015800	♊ 22 40 0	12 7 23
	{ 12 6 35 41	4.06980	0.609573	9.045769	♊ 16 53	11 41 38
1737	Jan. 19 8 20	22282	9.347960	0.938188	♊ 25 55 0	99 33 0
1739	{ June 6 9 59	67358	9.828388	0.217546	♊ 12 38 40	104 46 34
	{ 9 9 14	69614	9.842697	0.196083	♊ 5 11	110 7
1742	{ Jan. 28 4 38	76568	9.884049	0.134055	♊ 7 35 13	328 3 16
	{ 28 4 20 50	76555 $\frac{1}{2}$	9.883693	0.134589	♊ 7 33 44	328 1 1
	{ 28 14 51	77005 $\frac{1}{2}$	9.886523	0.130344	♊ 6 39 20	328 30 10
1742	{ Dec. 30 20 25	83501	9.921690	0.077593	♊ 2 41 45	14 20 30
	{ 30 21 15 16	83811 $\frac{1}{2}$	9.923304	0.075172	♊ 2 58 4	24 47 16
1743	Sept. 9 21 16 18	52157	9.717313	0.384159	♊ 6 33 52	118 42 33
1744	{ Feb. 19 8 12	22206	9.346472	0.940420	♊ 17 12 55	151 27 55
	{ 19 8 3	22250	9.347325	0.939141	♊ 17 10 0	151 23 49
1747	{ Feb. 20 7 10	2.10851	0.342128	9.446936	♊ 7 2 0	230 16 50
	{ 17 11 44 38	2.29388	0.360571	9.419272	♊ 10 5 41	226 52 46
1748	April 17 19 25	84066 $\frac{1}{2}$	9.924624	0.073192	♊ 5 0 50	17 51 25
1748	June 7 1 24 15	65525 $\frac{1}{2}$	9.816410	0.235513	♊ 6 9 24	241 29 41

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Ascending Node.	Inclination	Cof. of it.	Sine of it.		Calculator.
♈ 19° 0' 0"	36° 30' 0"	9.905179	9.774388	Direct	Dunthorne.
♈ 24 21 0	32 11 0	9.927549	9.726426	Retrog.	Halley.
♈ 11 46 20	5 20 0	9.998116	8.968249	Retrog.	Halley.
♈ 19 25 0	17 56 0	9.978370	9.488424	Retrog.	Halley.
♈ 20 27 0	32 36 0	9.925545	9.731404	Direct	Halley.
♈ 5 44 0	35 49 0	9.908964	9.767300	Retrog.	Downes. (See p. 13.)
♈ 25 42 0	32 6 30	9.927906	9.725521	Direct	Halley.
♈ 25 52 0	74 32 45	9.425644	9.984007	Retrog.	Halley.
♈ 18 57 20	64 40 0	9.631326	9.956089	Direct	Halley.
♈ 7 42 30	6 4 0	9.997561	9.024016	Direct	Halley.
♈ 15 30 40	29 40 40	9.938932	9.694712	Retrog.	Halley.
♈ 14 14 15	87 58 0	8.549995	9.999726	Direct	C.
♈ 12 12 30	55 12 0	9.756418	9.914422	Retrog.	Halley.
♈ 20 21 0	17 2 0	9.980519	9.466761	Retrog.	Halley.
♈ 16 1 0	37 34 0	9.899078	9.785105	Direct	Halley.
♈ 28 10 0	79 28 0	9.261994	9.992619	Direct	Halley.
♈ 22 30 30	32 35 50	9.925559	9.731371	Direct	Halley.
♈ 21 14 0	21 18 30	9.969247	9.560369	Retrog.	Halley.
♈ 18 2 0	76 5 0	9.381134	9.987061	Retrog.	Halley.
♈ 27 30 30	83 22 10	9.062457	9.997085	Direct	Halley.
♈ 26 49 10	79 3 15	9.278481	9.992026	Retrog.	Halley.
♈ 11 40 0	3 4 20	9.999375	8.729122	Direct	Downes.
♈ 2 2 0	60 56 0	9.686482	9.941539	Direct	Halley.
♈ 21 16 30	17 56 0	9.978370	9.488424	Retrog.	Halley.
♈ 23 23 0	83 11 0	9.074424	9.996919	Retrog.	Halley.
♈ 28 15 0	65 48 40	9.612515	9.960090	Direct	Halley.
♈ 20 34 40	31 21 40	9.931409	9.716363	Direct	Halley.
♈ 27 44 15	11 46 0	9.990777	9.309474	Retrog.	Halley.
♈ 21 45 35	69 20 0	9.547689	9.971113	Retrog.	Caille. (See p. 13.)
♈ 9 25 15	4 30 0	9.998659	8.894643	Direct	Caille.
♈ 13 11 40	55 14 10	9.756024	9.914612	} Direct	C.
♈ 13 11 23	55 14 5	9.756039	9.914605		Struijck.
♈ 22 46 35	88 36 0	8.387962	9.999870	} Direct	C.
♈ 22 50 29	88 37 40	8.379260	9.999875		Struijck.
♈ 7 55 20	31 12 53	9.932083	9.714536	} Retrog.	Downes.
♈ 8 43 0	30 20 0	9.936062	9.703317		C. (See p. 13.)
♈ 8 21 0	30 48 30	9.933940	9.709398		Whiston.
♈ 14 16 0	49 59 0	9.808218	9.884148	Retrog.	Bradley.
♈ 10 32 37	76 58 4	9.353126	9.988667	} Direct	C.
♈ 10 35 15	77 1 58	9.351010	9.988781		Downes.
♈ 16 22 0	18 20 45	9.977346	9.497968	Direct	Bradley.
♈ 27 25 14	55 42 44	9.750778	9.917095	} Retrog.	Caille. (See p. 13.)
♈ 25 18 0	53 25 0	9.775240	9.904711		Zanotti.
♈ 5 38 29	66 59 14	9.592106	9.963985	} Retrog.	C.
♈ 5 34 45	67 4 11	9.590631	9.964250		Struijck.
♈ 5 9 30	67 31 40	9.582340	9.965701		Barker. (See p. 13.)
♈ 18 21 15	2 19 33	9.999642	8.608337	} Direct	C.
♈ 8 10 48	2 15 50	9.999661	8.596619		Struijck.
♈ 5 16 25	45 48 21	9.843290	9.855508	Retrog.	Klinkenberg.
♈ 15 45 20	47 8 36	9.832616	9.865138	} Direct	Betts.
♈ 15 46 11	47 5 18	9.833064	9.864751		C.
♈ 27 18 50	79 6 20	9.276462	9.992101	} Retrog.	C.
♈ 26 58 27	77 56 55	9.319707	9.990321		Chezeaux.
♈ 22 52 15	85 27 0	8.899432	9.998629	Retrog.	Maraldi.
♈ 4 39 43	56 59 3	9.736293	9.923513	Direct	Struijck.

TABLE II. *A general Table of the Parabola.*

Angle from Perihelion.	Mean Mot.	Diff.	Log. Diff.	Diff.	Angle.	Mean Mot.	Diff.	Log. Diff.	Diff.
0				0	0				-25
5	0.0545	545	0.000000	1	4 35	3.0030	547	0.000695	25
10	0.1091	546	0.000001	1	40	3.0577	547	0.000720	26
15	0.1636	545	0.000002	2	45	3.1124	548	0.000746	27
20	0.2182	546	0.000004	2	50	3.1672	547	0.000773	27
25	0.2727	545	0.000006	2	55	3.2219	547	0.000800	27
30	0.3272	545	0.000008	2	5 0	3.2766	547	0.000827	-28
		546		3	5	3.3314	548	0.000855	28
35	0.3818	545	0.000011	4	10	3.3862	548	0.000883	29
40	0.4363	546	0.000015	4	15	3.4409	547	0.000912	29
45	0.4909	546	0.000019	4	20	3.4957	548	0.000941	30
50	0.5454	545	0.000023	5	25	3.5505	548	0.000971	30
55	0.6000	546	0.000028	5	30	3.6053	548	0.001001	-30
I 0	0.6545	545	0.000033	6	35	3.6601	548	0.001031	31
5	0.7091	546	0.000039	6	40	3.7149	548	0.001062	32
10	0.7636	545	0.000045	7	45	3.7697	548	0.001094	32
15	0.8182	546	0.000052	7	50	3.8245	548	0.001126	32
20	0.8727	545	0.000059	7	55	3.8793	549	0.001158	33
25	0.9273	546	0.000066	8	6 0	3.9342	548	0.001191	-33
30	0.9819	546	0.000074	9	5	3.9890	549	0.001224	34
		545		9	10	4.0439	549	0.001258	35
35	1.0364	546	0.000083	9	15	4.0988	548	0.001293	34
40	1.0910	546	0.000092	9	20	4.1536	549	0.001327	35
45	1.1456	545	0.000101	10	25	4.2085	549	0.001362	36
50	1.2001	546	0.000111	10	30	4.2634	549	0.001398	-36
55	1.2547	546	0.000121	11	35	4.3183	549	0.001434	37
2 0	1.3093	546	0.000132	12	40	4.3732	549	0.001471	37
5	1.3638	545	0.000144	11	45	4.4281	549	0.001508	37
10	1.4184	546	0.000155	12	50	4.4830	550	0.001545	38
15	1.4730	546	0.000167	13	55	4.5380	549	0.001583	39
20	1.5276	546	0.000180	13	7 0	4.5929	549	0.001622	-39
25	1.5822	546	0.000193	14	5	4.6479	550	0.001661	39
30	1.6368	546	0.000207	14	10	4.7028	549	0.001700	40
		546		14	15	4.7578	550	0.001740	40
35	1.6914	546	0.000221	15	20	4.8128	550	0.001780	41
40	1.7460	546	0.000235	16	25	4.8678	550	0.001821	41
45	1.8006	546	0.000250	16	30	4.9228	550	0.001862	-41
50	1.8552	546	0.000266	17	35	4.9778	550	0.001903	42
55	1.9098	546	0.000281	17	40	5.0328	551	0.001945	43
3 0	1.9644	546	0.000298	18	45	5.0879	551	0.001988	43
5	2.0190	546	0.000314	18	50	5.1429	551	0.002031	43
10	2.0736	547	0.000332	19	55	5.1980	551	0.002074	44
15	2.1283	546	0.000349	18	8 0	5.2531	551	0.002118	-45
20	2.1829	546	0.000368	19	5	5.3081	551	0.002163	45
25	2.2375	547	0.000386	20	10	5.3632	551	0.002208	45
30	2.2922	547	0.000405	20	15	5.4183	551	0.002253	46
		546		20	20	5.4734	552	0.002299	46
35	2.3468	547	0.000425	21	25	5.5286	551	0.002345	47
40	2.4015	546	0.000445	21	30	5.5837	551	0.002392	-47
45	2.4561	547	0.000466	22	35	5.6389	552	0.002439	48
50	2.5108	546	0.000486	22	40	5.6940	552	0.002487	48
55	2.5654	547	0.000507	23	45	5.7492	552	0.002535	48
4 0	2.6201	547	0.000529	23	50	5.8044	552	0.002583	49
5	2.6748	547	0.000552	24	55	5.8596	552	0.002632	50
10	2.7295	547	0.000574	24	9 0	5.9148	552	0.002682	-50
15	2.7842	547	0.000597	25					
20	2.8389	547	0.000621	25					
25	2.8936	547	0.000645	25					
30	2.9483	547	0.000670	-25					

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9 5	5.9700	552	0.002732	50	13 35	8.9744	561	0.006117	75
10	6.0253	553	0.002782	50	40	9.0305	561	0.006102	75
15	6.0805	552	0.002833	51	45	9.0866	561	0.006268	76
20	6.1358	553	0.002884	51	50	9.1428	562	0.006344	76
25	6.1911	553	0.002936	52	55	9.1989	561	0.006421	77
30	6.2464	553	0.002988	52	14 0	9.2551	562	0.006498	77
35	6.3017	553	0.003041	53	5	9.3113	562	0.006576	78
40	6.3570	553	0.003094	53	10	9.3676	563	0.006655	79
45	6.4123	553	0.003148	54	15	9.4238	562	0.006733	78
50	6.4677	554	0.003202	54	20	9.4801	563	0.006813	80
55	6.5230	553	0.003257	55	25	9.5364	563	0.006892	79
10 0	6.5784	554	0.003312	55	30	9.5927	563	0.006972	80
5	6.6338	554	0.003367	55	35	9.6490	563	0.007053	81
10	6.6892	554	0.003423	56	40	9.7054	564	0.007134	81
15	6.7446	554	0.003479	56	45	9.7617	563	0.007216	82
20	6.8000	554	0.003536	57	50	9.8181	564	0.007298	82
25	6.8555	555	0.003594	58	55	9.8745	564	0.007380	82
30	6.9109	554	0.003652	58	15 0	9.9310	565	0.007463	83
35	6.9664	555	0.003710	58	5	9.9874	564	0.007546	83
40	7.0219	555	0.003769	59	10	10.0439	565	0.007630	84
45	7.0774	555	0.003828	59	15	10.1004	565	0.007714	84
50	7.1329	555	0.003887	59	20	10.1569	565	0.007799	85
55	7.1885	556	0.003947	60	25	10.2135	566	0.007884	85
11 0	7.2440	555	0.004008	61	30	10.2701	566	0.007970	86
5	7.2996	556	0.004069	61	35	10.3267	566	0.008056	86
10	7.3551	555	0.004131	62	40	10.3833	566	0.008143	87
15	7.4107	556	0.004193	62	45	10.4399	566	0.008230	87
20	7.4663	556	0.004255	62	50	10.4966	567	0.008318	88
25	7.5220	557	0.004318	63	55	10.5533	567	0.008406	88
30	7.5776	556	0.004381	63	16 0	10.6100	567	0.008494	88
35	7.6333	557	0.004445	64	5	10.6667	567	0.008583	89
40	7.6890	557	0.004509	64	10	10.7234	567	0.008673	90
45	7.7447	557	0.004574	65	15	10.7802	568	0.008763	90
50	7.8004	557	0.004639	65	20	10.8370	568	0.008853	90
55	7.8561	557	0.004705	66	25	10.8938	568	0.008944	91
12 0	7.9118	557	0.004771	66	30	10.9507	569	0.009036	92
5	7.9676	558	0.004838	67	35	11.0076	569	0.009127	91
10	8.0234	558	0.004905	67	40	11.0645	569	0.009220	93
15	8.0792	558	0.004973	68	45	11.1214	569	0.009312	92
20	8.1350	558	0.005041	68	50	11.1783	569	0.009406	94
25	8.1908	558	0.005109	68	55	11.2353	570	0.009499	93
30	8.2467	559	0.005178	69	17 0	11.2923	570	0.009593	94
35	8.3025	558	0.005247	69	5	11.3493	570	0.009688	95
40	8.3584	559	0.005317	70	10	11.4063	570	0.009783	95
45	8.4143	559	0.005388	71	15	11.4634	571	0.009879	96
50	8.4702	559	0.005458	70	20	11.5205	571	0.009975	96
55	8.5262	560	0.005530	72	25	11.5776	571	0.010071	96
13 0	8.5822	560	0.005602	72	30	11.6348	572	0.010168	97
5	8.6381	559	0.005674	72	35	11.6919	571	0.010266	98
10	8.6941	560	0.005746	72	40	11.7491	572	0.010364	98
15	8.7501	561	0.005819	73	45	11.8063	572	0.010462	98
20	8.8062	561	0.005893	74	50	11.8636	573	0.010561	99
25	8.8622	561	0.005967	74	55	11.9209	573	0.010660	99
30	8.9183	561	0.006042	75	18 0	11.9782	573	0.010760	100
		561		75			573		100

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18 0					22 0				
5	12.0355	573	0.010860	100	35	15.1741	589	0.016978	126
10	12.0928	573	0.010961	101	40	15.2331	590	0.017104	126
15	12.1502	574	0.011062	101	45	15.2922	591	0.017231	127
20	12.2076	574	0.011164	102	50	15.3512	590	0.017359	128
25	12.2650	574	0.011266	102	55	15.4103	591	0.017486	127
30	12.3225	575	0.011369	103	23 0	15.4695	592	0.017615	129
35	12.3800	575	0.011472	103	5	15.5286	591	0.017743	128
40	12.4375	575	0.011576	104	10	15.5878	592	0.017873	130
45	12.4951	576	0.011680	104	15	15.6471	593	0.018002	129
50	12.5526	575	0.011784	104	20	15.7063	592	0.018132	130
55	12.6102	576	0.011889	105	25	15.7657	594	0.018263	131
19 0	12.6679	577	0.011995	106	30	15.8250	593	0.018394	131
5	12.7255	576	0.012101	106	35	15.8844	594	0.018526	132
10	12.7832	577	0.012207	106	40	15.9438	594	0.018658	132
15	12.8409	577	0.012314	107	45	16.0032	594	0.018791	133
20	12.8986	577	0.012421	107	50	16.0627	595	0.018924	133
25	12.9564	578	0.012529	108	55	16.1223	596	0.019057	133
30	13.0142	578	0.012637	108	24 0	16.1818	595	0.019191	134
35	13.0720	578	0.012746	109	5	16.2414	596	0.019326	135
40	13.1299	579	0.012855	109	10	16.3011	597	0.019461	135
45	13.1878	579	0.012965	110	15	16.3607	596	0.019596	135
50	13.2457	579	0.013075	110	20	16.4204	597	0.019732	136
55	13.3036	579	0.013186	111	25	16.4802	598	0.019869	137
20 0	13.3616	580	0.013297	111	30	16.5400	598	0.020005	136
5	13.4196	580	0.013409	112	35	16.5998	598	0.020143	138
10	13.4776	580	0.013521	112	40	16.6597	599	0.020281	138
15	13.5357	581	0.013633	112	45	16.7196	599	0.020419	138
20	13.5938	581	0.013746	113	50	16.7795	599	0.020558	139
25	13.6519	581	0.013860	114	55	16.8395	600	0.020697	139
30	13.7100	581	0.013974	114	25 0	16.8995	600	0.020837	140
35	13.7682	582	0.014088	114	5	16.9596	601	0.020977	140
40	13.8264	582	0.014203	115	10	17.0196	600	0.021118	141
45	13.8847	583	0.014319	116	15	17.0798	602	0.021259	141
50	13.9430	583	0.014435	116	20	17.1400	602	0.021401	142
55	14.0013	583	0.014551	116	25	17.2002	602	0.021543	142
21 0	14.0596	583	0.014668	117	30	17.2604	602	0.021686	143
5	14.1180	584	0.014785	117	35	17.3207	603	0.021829	143
10	14.1764	584	0.014903	118	40	17.3810	603	0.021973	144
15	14.2348	584	0.015021	118	45	17.4414	604	0.022117	144
20	14.2933	585	0.015140	119	50	17.5018	604	0.022261	144
25	14.3518	585	0.015259	119	55	17.5623	605	0.022407	146
30	14.4103	585	0.015379	120	26 0	17.6228	605	0.022552	145
35	14.4688	585	0.015499	120	5	17.6833	605	0.022698	146
40	14.5274	586	0.015620	121	10	17.7439	606	0.022845	147
45	14.5861	587	0.015741	121	15	17.8045	606	0.022992	147
50	14.6447	586	0.015862	121	20	17.8651	606	0.023139	147
55	14.7034	587	0.015984	122	25	17.9258	607	0.023287	148
22 0	14.7621	587	0.016107	123	30	17.9865	607	0.023436	149
5	14.8209	588	0.016230	123	35	18.0473	608	0.023585	149
10	14.8797	588	0.016353	123	40	18.1081	608	0.023734	149
15	14.9385	588	0.016477	124	45	18.1690	609	0.023884	150
20	14.9974	589	0.016602	125	50	18.2299	609	0.024035	151
25	15.0563	589	0.016727	125	55	18.2909	610	0.024186	151
30	15.1152	589	0.016852	125	27 0	18.3519	610	0.024337	152

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27	5	18.4129	610	0.024489	152	31	35	21.7766	636	0.033417	178	
	10	18.4740	611	0.024641	152		40	21.8402	636	0.033596	179	
	15	18.5351	611	0.024794	153		45	21.9039	637	0.033776	180	
	20	18.5962	611	0.024947	153		50	21.9677	638	0.033955	179	
	25	18.6574	612	0.025101	154		55	22.0315	638	0.034136	181	
	30	18.7187	613	0.025256	155		32	0	22.0953	638	0.034317	181
			613	0.025410	154		5	22.1592	639	0.034498	182	
	35	18.7800	613	0.025566	156		10	22.2232	640	0.034680	182	
	40	18.8413	614	0.025722	156		15	22.2872	640	0.034862	183	
	45	18.9027	614	0.025878	156		20	22.3513	641	0.035045	184	
	50	18.9641	615	0.026035	157		25	22.4154	641	0.035229	183	
	55	19.0256	615	0.026192	157		30	22.4796	642	0.035412	185	
28	0	19.0871	615	0.026350	158		35	22.5438	643	0.035597	185	
	5	19.1486	616	0.026508	158		40	22.6081	643	0.035782	185	
	10	19.2102	617	0.026666	158		45	22.6724	644	0.035967	186	
	15	19.2719	617	0.026826	160		50	22.7368	645	0.036153	186	
	20	19.3336	617	0.026985	159		55	22.8013	645	0.036339	187	
	25	19.3953	618	0.027145	160		33	0	22.8658	645	0.036526	187
	30	19.4571	618	0.027306	161		5	22.9303	646	0.036713	188	
	35	19.5189	619	0.027467	161		10	22.9949	647	0.036901	189	
	40	19.5808	619	0.027629	162		15	23.0596	647	0.037090	188	
	45	19.6427	620	0.027791	162		20	23.1243	648	0.037278	190	
	50	19.7047	620	0.027954	163		25	23.1891	649	0.037468	190	
	55	19.7667	621	0.028117	163		30	23.2540	649	0.037658	190	
29	0	19.8288	621	0.028280	164		35	23.3189	649	0.037848	191	
	5	19.8909	621	0.028444	164		40	23.3838	650	0.038039	191	
	10	19.9530	622	0.028609	165		45	23.4488	651	0.038230	192	
	15	20.0152	622	0.028774	165		50	23.5139	651	0.038422	193	
	20	20.0774	623	0.028940	166		55	23.5790	652	0.038615	192	
	25	20.1397	624	0.029106	166		34	0	23.6442	653	0.038807	194
	30	20.2021	624	0.029272	167		5	23.7095	653	0.039001	194	
	35	20.2645	624	0.029439	168		10	23.7748	653	0.039195	194	
	40	20.3269	625	0.029607	168		15	23.8401	654	0.039389	195	
	45	20.3894	625	0.029775	168		20	23.9055	655	0.039584	195	
	50	20.4519	626	0.029943	169		25	23.9710	656	0.039779	196	
	55	20.5145	626	0.030112	170		30	24.0366	656	0.039975	197	
30	0	20.5771	627	0.030282	170		35	24.1022	656	0.040172	196	
	5	20.6398	627	0.030452	170		40	24.1678	657	0.040368	198	
	10	20.7025	628	0.030622	171		45	24.2335	658	0.040566	198	
	15	20.7653	628	0.030793	172		50	24.2993	658	0.040764	198	
	20	20.8281	629	0.030965	172		55	24.3651	659	0.040962	199	
	25	20.8910	629	0.031137	172		35	0	24.4310	660	0.041161	199
	30	20.9539	630	0.031309	173		5	24.4970	660	0.041360	200	
	35	21.0169	630	0.031482	174		10	24.5630	661	0.041560	201	
	40	21.0799	631	0.031656	174		15	24.6291	661	0.041761	201	
	45	21.1430	631	0.031830	174		20	24.6952	662	0.041962	201	
	50	21.2061	632	0.032004	174		25	24.7614	663	0.042163	202	
	55	21.2693	633	0.032179	175		30	24.8277	663	0.042365	202	
31	0	21.3326	632	0.032354	175		35	24.8940	664	0.042567	203	
	5	21.3958	634	0.032530	176		40	24.9604	664	0.042770	204	
	10	21.4592	634	0.032707	177		45	25.0268	665	0.042974	204	
	15	21.5226	634	0.032884	177		50	25.0933	666	0.043178	204	
	20	21.5860	635	0.033061	177		55	25.1599	666	0.043380	205	
	25	21.6495	635	0.033239	178		36	0	25.2265	667	0.043587	206
	30	21.7130	636		178							

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36	5	25.2932	667	0.043793	206	40	35	28.9946	704	0.055650	233
	10	25.3600	668	0.043999	206		40	29.0652	706	0.055884	234
	15	25.4268	669	0.044205	207		45	29.1358	706	0.056119	235
	20	25.4937	670	0.044412	208		50	29.2064	708	0.056353	236
	25	25.5607	670	0.044620	208		55	29.2772	708	0.056589	236
	30	25.6277	671	0.044828	209	41	0	29.3480	709	0.056825	236
	35	25.6948	671	0.045037	209		5	29.4189	710	0.057061	237
	40	25.7619	672	0.045246	209		10	29.4899	710	0.057298	238
	45	25.8291	673	0.045455	210		15	29.5609	711	0.057536	238
	50	25.8964	673	0.045665	211		20	29.6320	712	0.057774	238
	55	25.9637	674	0.045876	211		25	29.7032	713	0.058012	239
37	0	26.0311	675	0.046087	211		30	29.7745	714	0.058251	240
	5	26.0986	675	0.046298	213		35	29.8459	714	0.058491	240
	10	26.1661	676	0.046511	212		40	29.9173	715	0.058731	240
	15	26.2337	677	0.046723	213		45	29.9888	716	0.058971	242
	20	26.3014	677	0.046936	214		50	30.0604	717	0.059213	241
	25	26.3691	678	0.047150	214		55	30.1321	718	0.059454	243
	30	26.4369	679	0.047364	215	42	0	30.2039	718	0.059697	242
	35	26.5048	679	0.047579	215		5	30.2757	719	0.059939	244
	40	26.5727	680	0.047794	216		10	30.3476	720	0.060183	243
	45	26.6407	681	0.048010	216		15	30.4196	721	0.060426	245
	50	26.7088	682	0.048226	217		20	30.4917	722	0.060671	244
	55	26.7770	682	0.048443	217		25	30.5639	722	0.060915	246
38	0	26.8452	682	0.048660	218		30	30.6361	724	0.061161	246
	5	26.9134	684	0.048878	218		35	30.7085	724	0.061407	246
	10	26.9818	684	0.049096	219		40	30.7809	725	0.061653	247
	15	27.0502	685	0.049315	219		45	30.8534	725	0.061900	248
	20	27.1187	685	0.049534	220		50	30.9259	727	0.062148	248
	25	27.1872	687	0.049754	220		55	30.9986	727	0.062396	248
	30	27.2559	687	0.049974	221	43	0	31.0713	728	0.062644	249
	35	27.3246	687	0.050195	221		5	31.1441	729	0.062893	250
	40	27.3933	688	0.050416	222		10	31.2170	730	0.063143	250
	45	27.4621	689	0.050638	223		15	31.2900	731	0.063393	251
	50	27.5310	690	0.050861	222		20	31.3631	732	0.063644	251
	55	27.6000	691	0.051083	224		25	31.4363	732	0.063895	252
39	0	27.6691	691	0.051307	224		30	31.5095	734	0.064147	252
	5	27.7382	692	0.051531	224		35	31.5829	734	0.064399	253
	10	27.8074	692	0.051755	225		40	31.6563	735	0.064652	253
	15	27.8766	693	0.051980	226		45	31.7298	735	0.064905	254
	20	27.9459	694	0.052206	226		50	31.8033	737	0.065159	254
	25	28.0153	695	0.052432	226		55	31.8770	738	0.065413	255
	30	28.0848	696	0.052658	227	44	0	31.9508	738	0.065668	256
	35	28.1544	696	0.052885	228		5	32.0246	740	0.065924	256
	40	28.2240	697	0.053113	228		10	32.0986	740	0.066180	256
	45	28.2937	697	0.053341	229		15	32.1726	741	0.066436	257
	50	28.3634	699	0.053570	229		20	32.2467	742	0.066693	258
	55	28.4333	699	0.053799	229		25	32.3209	743	0.066951	258
40	0	28.5032	700	0.054028	231		30	32.3952	743	0.067209	259
	5	28.5732	700	0.054259	230		35	32.4695	745	0.067468	259
	10	28.6432	702	0.054489	231		40	32.5440	745	0.067727	260
	15	28.7134	702	0.054720	232		45	32.6185	747	0.067987	260
	20	28.7836	703	0.054952	232		50	32.6932	747	0.068247	261
	25	28.8539	703	0.055184	233		55	32.7679	748	0.068508	261
	30	28.9242	704	0.055417	233	45	0	32.8427	749	0.068769	262

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N. B. Here the second column begins to be the Logarithm of the Mean Motion.

Angle.	Log. Mean Mot.	Diff.	Log. Diff.	Diff.	Angle.	Log. Mean Mot.	Diff.	Log. Diff.	Diff.
0					0				
45	5	1.517428	989	0.069031	262	49	35	1.569434	940
	10	1.518417	989	0.069294	263		40	1.570373	939
	15	1.519404	987	0.069557	263		45	1.571312	939
	20	1.520390	986	0.069820	263		50	1.572250	938
	25	1.521376	986	0.070084	264		55	1.573187	937
	30	1.522360	984	0.070349	265	50	0	1.574123	936
			983	0.070614	265		5	1.575059	936
	35	1.523343	982	0.070880	266		10	1.575994	935
	40	1.524325	981	0.071146	266		15	1.576928	934
	45	1.525306	980	0.071413	267		20	1.577862	934
	50	1.526286	979	0.071680	267		25	1.578794	932
	55	1.527265	978	0.071948	268		30	1.579726	932
46	0	1.528243	978	0.072216	268		35	1.580658	932
	5	1.529221	976	0.072485	269		40	1.581588	930
	10	1.530197	975	0.072755	270		45	1.582518	930
	15	1.531172	974	0.073025	270		50	1.583447	929
	20	1.532146	973	0.073295	270		55	1.584375	928
	25	1.533119	972	0.073566	271	51	0	1.585303	928
	30	1.534091	972	0.073838	272		5	1.586230	927
	35	1.535063	970	0.074110	272		10	1.587156	926
	40	1.536033	969	0.074383	273		15	1.588082	926
	45	1.537002	969	0.074656	273		20	1.589007	925
	50	1.537971	967	0.074930	274		25	1.589931	924
	55	1.538938	967	0.075204	274		30	1.590855	924
47	0	1.539905	965	0.075479	275		35	1.591778	923
	5	1.540870	965	0.075755	276		40	1.592700	922
	10	1.541835	964	0.076031	276		45	1.593622	922
	15	1.542799	963	0.076307	276		50	1.594543	921
	20	1.543762	962	0.076585	278		55	1.595463	920
	25	1.544724	961	0.076862	277	52	0	1.596383	920
	30	1.545685	960	0.077140	278		5	1.597302	919
	35	1.546645	959	0.077419	279		10	1.598220	918
	40	1.547604	959	0.077698	279		15	1.599138	918
	45	1.548563	957	0.077978	280		20	1.600055	917
	50	1.549520	957	0.078259	281		25	1.600972	917
	55	1.550477	956	0.078540	281		30	1.601888	916
48	0	1.551433	955	0.078821	281		35	1.602803	915
	5	1.552388	954	0.079103	282		40	1.603718	915
	10	1.553342	953	0.079386	283		45	1.604632	914
	15	1.554295	952	0.079669	283		50	1.605545	913
	20	1.555247	952	0.079953	284		55	1.606458	913
	25	1.556199	950	0.080237	284	53	0	1.607370	912
	30	1.557149	950	0.080522	285		5	1.608282	912
	35	1.558099	949	0.080807	285		10	1.609193	911
	40	1.559048	948	0.081093	286		15	1.610104	911
	45	1.559996	948	0.081380	287		20	1.611014	910
	50	1.560944	946	0.081667	287		25	1.611923	909
	55	1.561890	946	0.081954	287		30	1.612832	909
49	0	1.562836	945	0.082242	288		35	1.613740	908
	5	1.563781	944	0.082531	289		40	1.614647	907
	10	1.564725	943	0.082820	289		45	1.615554	907
	15	1.565668	943	0.083110	290		50	1.616461	906
	20	1.566611	942	0.083400	290		55	1.617367	905
	25	1.567553	941	0.083691	291	54	0	1.618272	905
	30	1.568494	940		292				

Angle.	Log. Mean Mot.	Diff.	Log. Diff.	Diff.	Angle.	Log. Mean Mot.	Diff.	Log. Diff.	Diff.
54 0	1.619177	-905	0.100560	-322	58 35	1.667334	881	0.118827	-354
5 10	1.620081	904	0.100883	323	40	1.668214	880	0.119182	355
15	1.620985	904	0.101206	323	45	1.669095	881	0.119537	355
20	1.621888	903	0.101530	324	50	1.669975	880	0.119893	356
25	1.622791	903	0.101855	325	55	1.670854	879	0.120249	356
30	1.623694	903	0.102180	325	59 0	1.671733	879	0.120606	357
35	1.624595	-901	0.102505	-325	5	1.672612	-879	0.120964	-358
40	1.625496	901	0.102832	327	10	1.673490	878	0.121322	358
45	1.626397	901	0.103158	326	15	1.674369	879	0.121681	359
50	1.627297	900	0.103486	328	20	1.675247	878	0.122041	360
55	1.628197	900	0.103814	328	25	1.676124	877	0.122401	360
55 0	1.629096	899	0.104142	328	30	1.677001	877	0.122762	361
5	1.629995	-899	0.104471	-329	35	1.677878	-877	0.123123	-361
10	1.630893	898	0.104801	330	40	1.678755	877	0.123485	362
15	1.631790	897	0.105131	330	45	1.679631	876	0.123847	362
20	1.632688	898	0.105462	331	50	1.680507	876	0.124211	364
25	1.633584	896	0.105794	332	55	1.681383	876	0.124574	363
3	1.634480	896	0.106126	332	60 0	1.682258	875	0.124939	365
35	1.635376	-896	0.106458	-332	5	1.683133	-875	0.125304	-365
40	1.636271	895	0.106791	333	10	1.684008	875	0.125669	365
45	1.637166	895	0.107125	334	15	1.684883	875	0.126036	367
50	1.638060	894	0.107460	335	20	1.685757	874	0.126402	366
55	1.638954	894	0.107795	335	25	1.686631	874	0.126770	368
56 0	1.639848	894	0.108130	335	30	1.687504	873	0.127138	368
5	1.640740	-892	0.108466	-336	35	1.688378	-874	0.127507	-369
10	1.641633	893	0.108803	337	40	1.689251	873	0.127876	369
15	1.642525	892	0.109140	337	45	1.690124	873	0.128246	370
20	1.643417	892	0.109478	338	50	1.690997	873	0.128616	370
25	1.644308	891	0.109817	339	55	1.691869	872	0.128987	371
30	1.645199	891	0.110156	339	61 0	1.692741	872	0.129359	372
35	1.646089	-890	0.110496	-340	5	1.693613	-872	0.129732	-373
40	1.646978	889	0.110836	340	10	1.694484	871	0.130105	373
45	1.647868	889	0.111177	341	15	1.695355	871	0.130478	373
50	1.648757	888	0.111518	341	20	1.696226	871	0.130852	374
55	1.649645	888	0.111860	342	25	1.697097	871	0.131227	375
57 0	1.650534	889	0.112203	343	30	1.697968	871	0.131603	376
5	1.651421	-887	0.112546	-343	35	1.698838	-870	0.131979	-376
10	1.652309	888	0.112890	344	40	1.699708	870	0.132356	377
15	1.653196	887	0.113235	345	45	1.700578	870	0.132733	377
20	1.654082	886	0.113580	345	50	1.701448	870	0.133111	378
25	1.654968	886	0.113925	345	55	1.702317	869	0.133490	379
30	1.655854	886	0.114271	346	62 0	1.703186	869	0.133869	379
35	1.656739	-885	0.114618	-347	5	1.704055	-869	0.134249	-380
40	1.657624	885	0.114966	348	10	1.704924	869	0.134629	380
45	1.658509	885	0.115314	348	15	1.705793	868	0.135010	381
50	1.659393	884	0.115662	348	20	1.706661	868	0.135392	382
55	1.660277	884	0.116012	350	25	1.707529	868	0.135774	382
58 0	1.661160	883	0.116362	350	30	1.708397	868	0.136157	383
5	1.662043	-883	0.116712	-350	35	1.709265	-868	0.136541	-384
10	1.662926	883	0.117063	351	40	1.710133	868	0.136925	384
15	1.663808	882	0.117415	352	45	1.711000	867	0.137310	385
20	1.664690	882	0.117767	352	50	1.711867	867	0.137696	386
25	1.665572	882	0.118120	353	55	1.712734	867	0.138082	386
30	1.666453	-881	0.118473	-353	63 0	1.713601	-866	0.138468	-388
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Angle.	Log.	Diff.	Log. Diff.	Diff.	Angle.	Log.	Diff.	Log. Diff.	Diff.		
	Mean Mot.					Mean Mot.					
63	5	1.714467	866	0.138856	388	67	35	1.761067	861	0.160730	423
	10	1.715334	866	0.139244	388		40	1.761928	860	0.161153	423
	15	1.716200	866	0.139633	389		45	1.762788	861	0.161576	425
	20	1.717066	866	0.140022	389		50	1.763649	861	0.162001	425
	25	1.717932	865	0.140412	390		55	1.764510	861	0.162426	426
	30	1.718797	866	0.140802	390	68	0	1.765371	860	0.162852	426
	35	1.719663	865	0.141193	391		5	1.766231	861	0.163278	427
	40	1.720528	865	0.141585	392		10	1.767092	861	0.163705	428
	45	1.721393	865	0.141978	393		15	1.767953	860	0.164133	428
	50	1.722258	865	0.142371	393		20	1.768813	861	0.164561	429
	55	1.723123	865	0.142765	394		25	1.769674	861	0.164990	430
64	0	1.723988	865	0.143159	394		30	1.770535	860	0.165420	430
	5	1.724853	864	0.143554	395		35	1.771395	861	0.165850	431
	10	1.725717	864	0.143950	396		40	1.772256	860	0.166281	432
	15	1.726681	865	0.144346	396		45	1.773116	861	0.166713	433
	20	1.727446	864	0.144743	397		50	1.773977	861	0.167146	433
	25	1.728310	863	0.145141	398		55	1.774838	860	0.167579	434
	30	1.729173	864	0.145539	398	69	0	1.775698	861	0.168013	434
	35	1.730037	864	0.145938	399		5	1.776559	861	0.168447	435
	40	1.730901	863	0.146337	399		10	1.777420	861	0.168882	436
	45	1.731764	864	0.146737	400		15	1.778281	860	0.169318	436
	50	1.732628	863	0.147138	401		20	1.779141	861	0.169754	438
	55	1.733491	863	0.147540	402		25	1.780002	861	0.170192	438
65	0	1.734354	863	0.147942	402		30	1.780863	861	0.170630	438
	5	1.735217	863	0.148344	404		35	1.781724	860	0.171068	439
	10	1.736080	863	0.148748	404		40	1.782584	861	0.171507	440
	15	1.736943	862	0.149152	404		45	1.783445	861	0.171947	441
	20	1.737805	863	0.149556	406		50	1.784306	861	0.172388	441
	25	1.738668	862	0.149962	406		55	1.785167	861	0.172829	442
	30	1.739530	863	0.150368	406	70	0	1.786028	861	0.173271	443
	35	1.740393	862	0.150774	408		5	1.786889	862	0.173714	443
	40	1.741255	862	0.151182	408		10	1.787751	861	0.174157	444
	45	1.742117	862	0.151590	408		15	1.788612	861	0.174601	445
	50	1.742979	862	0.151998	409		20	1.789473	861	0.175046	445
	55	1.743841	862	0.152407	410		25	1.790334	861	0.175491	446
66	0	1.744703	862	0.152817	411		30	1.791195	862	0.175937	447
	5	1.745565	862	0.153228	411		35	1.792057	861	0.176384	447
	10	1.746427	861	0.153639	412		40	1.792918	862	0.176831	448
	15	1.747288	862	0.154051	412		45	1.793780	862	0.177279	449
	20	1.748150	862	0.154463	413		50	1.794642	861	0.177728	450
	25	1.749012	861	0.154876	414		55	1.795503	862	0.178178	450
	30	1.749873	861	0.155290	415	71	0	1.796365	862	0.178628	451
	35	1.750734	862	0.155705	415		5	1.797227	862	0.179079	451
	40	1.751596	861	0.156120	416		10	1.798089	862	0.179530	453
	45	1.752457	861	0.156536	416		15	1.798951	862	0.179983	453
	50	1.753318	861	0.156952	417		20	1.799813	862	0.180436	453
	55	1.754179	861	0.157369	418		25	1.800675	862	0.180889	455
67	0	1.755040	862	0.157787	418		30	1.801537	863	0.181344	455
	5	1.755902	861	0.158205	419		35	1.802400	862	0.181799	456
	10	1.756763	860	0.158624	420		40	1.803262	862	0.182255	456
	15	1.757623	861	0.159044	421		45	1.804124	863	0.182711	457
	20	1.758484	861	0.159465	421		50	1.804987	863	0.183168	458
	25	1.759345	861	0.159886	421		55	1.805850	863	0.183626	459
	30	1.760206	861	0.160307	423	72	0	1.806713	863	0.184085	459

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Angle.	Log. Mean Mot.	Diff.	Log. Diff.	Diff.	Angle.	Log. Mean Mot.	Diff.	Log. Diff.	Diff.
72 0	1.807576	-863	0.184544	-459	76 0	1.854410	-873	0.210408	-498
5	1.808439	863	0.185004	460	35	1.855283	873	0.210907	499
10	1.809302	863	0.185465	461	40	1.856156	873	0.211407	500
15	1.810165	863	0.185926	461	45	1.857029	873	0.211908	501
20	1.811029	864	0.186388	462	50	1.857903	874	0.212409	501
25	1.811892	863	0.186851	463	55	1.858777	874	0.212911	502
30	1.812756	-864	0.187314	-463	77 0	1.859651	-874	0.213414	-503
35	1.813620	864	0.187779	465	5	1.860526	875	0.213918	504
40	1.814484	864	0.188244	465	10	1.861400	874	0.214422	504
45	1.815348	864	0.188709	465	15	1.862275	875	0.214927	505
50	1.816212	864	0.189176	467	20	1.863151	876	0.215433	506
55	1.817077	865	0.189643	467	25	1.864026	875	0.215939	506
73 0	1.817941	-864	0.190110	-467	30	1.864902	-876	0.216447	-508
5	1.818805	864	0.190579	469	35	1.865778	876	0.216955	508
10	1.819670	865	0.191048	469	40	1.866655	877	0.217464	509
15	1.820535	865	0.191518	470	45	1.867532	877	0.217973	509
20	1.821400	865	0.191988	470	50	1.868408	876	0.218484	511
25	1.822266	866	0.192460	472	55	1.869286	878	0.218995	511
30	1.823131	-865	0.192932	-472	78 0	1.870163	-877	0.219507	-512
35	1.823997	866	0.193405	473	5	1.871041	878	0.220019	512
40	1.824862	865	0.193878	473	10	1.871919	878	0.220533	514
45	1.825728	866	0.194352	474	15	1.872798	879	0.221047	514
50	1.826594	866	0.194827	475	20	1.873677	879	0.221562	515
55	1.827460	866	0.195303	476	25	1.874556	879	0.222078	516
74 0	1.828327	-867	0.195779	-476	30	1.875435	-879	0.222594	-516
5	1.829193	866	0.196256	477	35	1.876315	880	0.223111	517
10	1.830060	867	0.196734	478	40	1.877195	880	0.223629	518
15	1.830927	867	0.197213	479	45	1.878075	880	0.224148	519
20	1.831794	867	0.197692	479	50	1.878956	881	0.224668	520
25	1.832661	867	0.198172	480	55	1.879837	881	0.225188	520
30	1.833529	-868	0.198652	-480	79 0	1.880718	-881	0.225709	-521
35	1.834396	867	0.199134	482	5	1.881600	882	0.226231	522
40	1.835264	868	0.199616	482	10	1.882482	882	0.226753	522
45	1.836132	868	0.200099	483	15	1.883364	882	0.227277	524
50	1.837000	868	0.200582	483	20	1.884247	883	0.227801	524
55	1.837869	869	0.201067	485	25	1.885130	883	0.228326	525
75 0	1.838737	-868	0.201552	-485	30	1.886013	-883	0.228852	-526
5	1.839606	869	0.202038	486	35	1.886897	884	0.229378	526
10	1.840475	869	0.202524	487	40	1.887781	884	0.229906	528
15	1.841344	870	0.203011	488	45	1.888665	884	0.230434	528
20	1.842214	869	0.203499	489	50	1.889550	885	0.230962	528
25	1.843083	-870	0.203988	-489	55	1.890435	-885	0.231492	-530
30	1.843953	870	0.204477	491	80 0	1.891320	-885	0.232022	-530
35	1.844823	871	0.204968	491	5	1.892206	886	0.232554	532
40	1.845694	870	0.205459	491	10	1.893092	886	0.233086	532
45	1.846564	871	0.205950	493	15	1.893979	887	0.233618	532
50	1.847435	871	0.206443	493	20	1.894866	887	0.234152	534
55	1.848306	-871	0.206936	-494	25	1.895753	-887	0.234686	-534
76 0	1.849177	872	0.207430	494	30	1.896640	-887	0.235221	-535
5	1.850049	871	0.207924	494	35	1.897528	888	0.235757	536
10	1.850920	872	0.208420	496	40	1.898417	889	0.236294	537
15	1.851792	872	0.208916	496	45	1.899305	889	0.236832	538
20	1.852664	873	0.209412	498	50	1.900194	890	0.237370	539
25	1.853537	-873	0.209910	-498	55	1.901084	-890	0.237909	-540
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Angle.	Log. Mean Mot.	Diff.	Log. Dist.	Diff.	Angle.	Log. Mean Mot.	Diff.	Log. Dist.	Diff.
81	5	1.901974	890	0.238449	540	85	35	1.950678	915
	10	1.902864	891	0.238990	541		40	1.951593	915
	15	1.903755	891	0.239531	542		45	1.952509	916
	20	1.904646	891	0.240073	543		50	1.953426	917
	25	1.905537	892	0.240616	544		55	1.954343	917
	30	1.906429	892	0.241160	545	86	0	1.955260	917
	35	1.907321	893	0.241705	545		5	1.956178	918
	40	1.908214	893	0.242250	547		10	1.957097	919
	45	1.909107	894	0.242797	547		15	1.958016	919
	50	1.910001	894	0.243344	548		20	1.958936	920
	55	1.910895	894	0.243892	548		25	1.959856	920
82	0	1.911789	895	0.244440	550		30	1.960777	921
	5	1.912684	895	0.244990	550		35	1.961698	921
	10	1.913579	896	0.245540	551		40	1.962620	922
	15	1.914475	896	0.246091	552		45	1.963543	923
	20	1.915371	896	0.246643	553		50	1.964466	923
	25	1.916267	897	0.247196	553		55	1.965390	924
	30	1.917164	897	0.247749	555	87	0	1.966314	924
	35	1.918061	898	0.248304	555		5	1.967239	925
	40	1.918959	898	0.248859	556		10	1.968164	925
	45	1.919857	899	0.249415	557		15	1.969090	926
	50	1.920756	899	0.249972	557		20	1.970017	927
	55	1.921655	900	0.250529	557		25	1.970944	927
83	0	1.922555	900	0.251088	559		30	1.971872	928
	5	1.923455	900	0.251647	560		35	1.972801	929
	10	1.924355	901	0.252207	561		40	1.973730	929
	15	1.925256	901	0.252768	562		45	1.974659	929
	20	1.926157	902	0.253330	562		50	1.975589	930
	25	1.927059	903	0.253892	564		55	1.976520	931
	30	1.927962	903	0.254456	564	88	0	1.977452	932
	35	1.928865	903	0.255020	565		5	1.978384	932
	40	1.929768	903	0.255585	566		10	1.979317	933
	45	1.930671	904	0.256151	566		15	1.980250	933
	50	1.931575	905	0.256717	568		20	1.981184	934
	55	1.932480	905	0.257285	568		25	1.982119	935
84	0	1.933385	906	0.257853	569		30	1.983054	935
	5	1.934291	906	0.258422	570		35	1.983990	936
	10	1.935197	907	0.258992	571		40	1.984926	936
	15	1.936104	907	0.259563	572		45	1.985864	937
	20	1.937011	907	0.260135	572		50	1.986801	937
	25	1.937918	908	0.260707	574		55	1.987740	939
	30	1.938826	909	0.261281	574	89	0	1.988679	940
	35	1.939735	909	0.261855	575		5	1.989619	940
	40	1.940644	910	0.262430	576		10	1.990559	941
	45	1.941554	910	0.263006	576		15	1.991500	942
	50	1.942464	910	0.263582	578		20	1.992442	942
	55	1.943374	911	0.264160	578		25	1.993384	943
85	0	1.944285	912	0.264738	579		30	1.994327	944
	5	1.945197	912	0.265317	580		35	1.995271	945
	10	1.946109	913	0.265897	581		40	1.996216	945
	15	1.947022	913	0.266478	582		45	1.997161	946
	20	1.947935	914	0.267060	583		50	1.998107	946
	25	1.948849	914	0.267643	583		55	1.999053	947
	30	1.949763	915	0.268226	585	90	0	2.000000	948

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Angle.	Log. Mean Mot.	Diff.	Log. Diff.	Diff.	Angle.	Log. Mean Mot.	Diff.	Log. Diff.	Diff.		
90	5	2.000948	-948	0.301662	-632	94	35	2.053239	-989	0.337199	-684
	10	2.001897	949	0.302295	633		40	2.054230	991	0.337884	685
	15	2.002846	949	0.302929	634		45	2.055221	991	0.338570	686
	20	2.003796	950	0.303564	635		50	2.056213	992	0.339257	687
	25	2.004746	950	0.304200	636		55	2.057206	993	0.339944	687
	30	2.005697	951	0.304837	637	95	0	2.058200	994	0.340633	689
	35	2.006649	-952	0.305474	-637		5	2.059195	-995	0.341323	-690
	40	2.007602	953	0.306113	639		10	2.060191	996	0.342014	691
	45	2.008556	954	0.306752	639		15	2.061188	997	0.342706	692
	50	2.009510	954	0.307393	641		20	2.062185	997	0.343399	693
	55	2.010465	955	0.308034	641		25	2.063184	999	0.344093	694
91	0	2.011420	955	0.308676	642		30	2.064183	999	0.344787	694
	5	2.012377	-957	0.309320	-644		35	2.065183	-1000	0.345483	-696
	10	2.013334	957	0.309964	644		40	2.066184	1001	0.346180	697
	15	2.014292	958	0.310609	645		45	2.067186	1002	0.346878	698
	20	2.015250	958	0.311255	646		50	2.068189	1003	0.347577	699
	25	2.016209	959	0.311902	647		55	2.069193	1004	0.348277	700
	30	2.017169	960	0.312550	648	96	0	2.070198	1005	0.348978	701
	35	2.018130	-961	0.313199	-649		5	2.071204	-1006	0.349680	-702
	40	2.019091	961	0.313849	650		10	2.072211	1007	0.350383	703
	45	2.020054	963	0.314499	650		15	2.073218	1007	0.351087	704
	50	2.021017	963	0.315151	652		20	2.074226	1008	0.351793	706
	55	2.021981	964	0.315804	653		25	2.075236	1010	0.352499	706
92	0	2.022945	964	0.316457	653		30	2.076246	1010	0.353206	707
	5	2.023910	-965	0.317112	-655		35	2.077257	-1011	0.353914	-708
	10	2.024876	966	0.317768	656		40	2.078270	1013	0.354623	709
	15	2.025843	967	0.318424	656		45	2.079283	1013	0.355334	711
	20	2.026811	968	0.319081	657		50	2.080297	1014	0.356045	711
	25	2.027779	968	0.319740	659		55	2.081312	1015	0.356757	712
	30	2.028748	969	0.320399	659	97	0	2.082328	1016	0.357471	714
	35	2.029718	-970	0.321060	-661		5	2.083345	-1017	0.358185	-714
	40	2.030689	971	0.321721	661		10	2.084363	1018	0.358901	716
	45	2.031660	971	0.322383	662		15	2.085382	1019	0.359617	716
	50	2.032633	973	0.323046	663		20	2.086402	1020	0.360335	718
	55	2.033606	973	0.323710	664		25	2.087423	1021	0.361054	719
93	0	2.034580	974	0.324376	666		30	2.088445	1022	0.361773	719
	5	2.035554	-974	0.325042	-666		35	2.089468	-1023	0.362494	-721
	10	2.036530	976	0.325709	667		40	2.090492	1024	0.363216	722
	15	2.037506	976	0.326377	668		45	2.091517	1025	0.363939	723
	20	2.038483	977	0.327046	669		50	2.092542	1025	0.364663	724
	25	2.039461	978	0.327716	670		55	2.093569	1027	0.365388	725
	30	2.040440	979	0.328387	671	98	0	2.094597	1028	0.366114	726
	35	2.041419	-979	0.329059	-672		5	2.095626	-1029	0.366841	-727
	40	2.042400	981	0.329732	673		10	2.096656	1030	0.367570	729
	45	2.043381	981	0.330406	674		15	2.097687	1031	0.368299	729
	50	2.044363	982	0.331081	675		20	2.098719	1032	0.369029	730
	55	2.045346	983	0.331757	676		25	2.099752	1033	0.369761	732
94	0	2.046330	984	0.332433	676		30	2.100785	1033	0.370493	732
	5	2.047314	-984	0.333111	-678		35	2.101820	-1035	0.371227	-734
	10	2.048299	985	0.333790	679		40	2.102856	1036	0.371962	735
	15	2.049286	987	0.334470	680		45	2.103893	1037	0.372697	735
	20	2.050273	987	0.335151	681		50	2.104931	1038	0.373434	737
	25	2.051261	988	0.335833	682		55	2.105971	1040	0.374172	738
	30	2.052250	989	0.336515	682	99	0	2.107011	1040	0.374911	739
			-989		-684				-1041		-740

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99 5	2.108052	-1041	0.375651	-740	103 35	2.165946	-1104	0.417289	-802
10 10	2.109094	1042	0.376392	741	40	2.167051	1105	0.418092	803
15 15	2.110138	1044	0.377135	743	45	2.168158	1107	0.418896	804
20 20	2.111182	1044	0.377878	743	50	2.169265	1107	0.419701	805
25 25	2.112227	1045	0.378623	745	55	2.170374	1109	0.420508	807
30 30	2.113274	1047	0.379368	745	104 0	2.171484	1110	0.421316	808
35 35	2.114322	-1048	0.380115	-747	5	2.172596	-1112	0.422125	-809
40 40	2.115370	1048	0.380863	748	10	2.173709	1113	0.422935	810
45 45	2.116420	1050	0.381612	749	15	2.174823	1114	0.423747	812
50 50	2.117471	1051	0.382362	750	20	2.175938	1115	0.424560	813
55 55	2.118523	1052	0.383113	751	25	2.177055	1117	0.425374	814
100 0	2.119576	1053	0.383865	752	30	2.178173	1118	0.426189	815
5 5	2.120630	-1054	0.384618	-753	35	2.179292	-1119	0.427005	-816
10 10	2.121685	1055	0.385373	755	40	2.180413	1121	0.427823	818
15 15	2.122742	1057	0.386128	755	45	2.181535	1122	0.428642	819
20 20	2.123799	1057	0.386885	757	50	2.182658	1123	0.429462	820
25 25	2.124857	1058	0.387643	758	55	2.183783	1125	0.430283	821
30 30	2.125917	1060	0.388402	759	105 0	2.184909	1126	0.431106	823
35 35	2.126978	-1061	0.389162	-760	5	2.186036	-1127	0.431930	-824
40 40	2.128040	1062	0.389923	761	10	2.187165	1129	0.432755	825
45 45	2.129103	1063	0.390685	762	15	2.188295	1130	0.433581	826
50 50	2.130167	1064	0.391449	764	20	2.189427	1132	0.434408	827
55 55	2.131232	1065	0.392213	764	25	2.190560	1133	0.435237	829
101 0	2.132299	1067	0.392979	766	30	2.191694	1134	0.436067	830
5 5	2.133367	-1068	0.393746	-767	35	2.192830	-1136	0.436899	-832
10 10	2.134435	1068	0.394514	768	40	2.193967	1137	0.437731	832
15 15	2.135505	1070	0.395283	769	45	2.195105	1138	0.438565	834
20 20	2.136576	1071	0.396053	770	50	2.196245	1140	0.439400	835
25 25	2.137648	1072	0.396824	771	55	2.197386	1141	0.440236	836
30 30	2.138722	1074	0.397597	773	106 0	2.198528	1142	0.441074	838
35 35	2.139796	-1074	0.398371	-774	5	2.199672	-1144	0.441913	-839
40 40	2.140872	1076	0.399146	775	10	2.200817	1145	0.442753	840
45 45	2.141949	1077	0.399922	776	15	2.201964	1147	0.443594	841
50 50	2.143027	1078	0.400699	777	20	2.203112	1148	0.444437	843
55 55	2.144106	1079	0.401477	778	25	2.204262	1150	0.444437	844
102 0	2.145187	1081	0.402256	779	30	2.205413	1151	0.445281	845
5 5	2.146268	-1081	0.403037	-781	35	2.206565	-1152	0.446126	-847
10 10	2.147351	1083	0.403819	782	40	2.207719	1154	0.446973	848
15 15	2.148435	1084	0.404602	783	45	2.208875	1156	0.447821	849
20 20	2.149520	1085	0.405386	784	50	2.210031	1156	0.448670	850
25 25	2.150607	1087	0.406171	785	55	2.211189	1158	0.449520	852
30 30	2.151695	1088	0.406957	786	107 0	2.212349	1160	0.450372	853
35 35	2.152783	-1088	0.407745	-788	5	2.213510	-1161	0.451225	-854
40 40	2.153873	1090	0.408534	789	10	2.214673	1163	0.452079	856
45 45	2.154965	1092	0.409324	790	15	2.215837	1164	0.452935	857
50 50	2.156057	1092	0.410115	791	20	2.217003	1166	0.453792	858
55 55	2.157151	1094	0.410907	792	25	2.218170	1167	0.454650	859
103 0	2.158246	1095	0.411701	794	30	2.219338	1168	0.455509	861
5 5	2.159342	-1096	0.412490	-795	35	2.220508	-1170	0.456370	-862
10 10	2.160440	1098	0.413292	796	40	2.221680	1172	0.457232	864
15 15	2.161539	1099	0.414089	797	45	2.222853	1173	0.458096	864
20 20	2.162639	1100	0.414887	798	50	2.224027	1174	0.458960	866
25 25	2.163740	1101	0.415686	799	55	2.225203	1176	0.459826	868
30 30	2.164842	1102	0.416487	801	108 0	2.226381	1178	0.460694	869
		-1104		-802			-1170	0.461563	-870

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108 5	2.227560	1179	0.462433	870	112 35	2.293634	1270	0.511468	946
10 10	2.228740	1180	0.463304	871	40	2.294905	1271	0.512416	948
15	2.229922	1182	0.464177	873	45	2.296177	1272	0.513365	949
20	2.231106	1184	0.465051	874	50	2.297452	1275	0.514315	950
25	2.232291	1185	0.465926	875	55	2.298728	1276	0.515267	952
30	2.233478	1187	0.466803	877	113 0	2.300007	1279	0.516221	954
35	2.234666	1188	0.467681	878	5	2.301287	1280	0.517176	955
40	2.235856	1190	0.468561	880	10	2.302569	1282	0.518133	957
45	2.237048	1192	0.469441	880	15	2.303853	1284	0.519091	958
50	2.238241	1193	0.470324	883	20	2.305139	1286	0.520050	959
55	2.239435	1194	0.471207	883	25	2.306426	1287	0.521012	962
109 0	2.240631	1196	0.472092	885	30	2.307716	1290	0.521974	962
5	2.241829	1198	0.472978	886	35	2.309007	1291	0.522938	964
10	2.243028	1199	0.473866	888	40	2.310300	1293	0.523904	966
15	2.244229	1201	0.474755	889	45	2.311596	1296	0.524871	967
20	2.245432	1203	0.475645	890	50	2.312893	1297	0.525840	969
25	2.246636	1204	0.476537	892	55	2.314192	1299	0.526811	971
30	2.247842	1206	0.477430	893	114 0	2.315493	1301	0.527782	971
35	2.249049	1207	0.478324	894	5	2.316796	1303	0.528756	974
40	2.250258	1209	0.479220	896	10	2.318101	1305	0.529731	975
45	2.251468	1210	0.480117	897	15	2.319407	1306	0.530707	976
50	2.252680	1212	0.481016	899	20	2.320716	1309	0.531686	979
55	2.253894	1214	0.481916	900	25	2.322027	1311	0.532665	979
110 0	2.255110	1216	0.482817	901	30	2.323339	1312	0.533646	981
5	2.256327	1217	0.483720	903	35	2.324654	1315	0.534629	983
10	2.257546	1219	0.484624	904	40	2.325970	1316	0.535614	985
15	2.258766	1220	0.485530	906	45	2.327289	1319	0.536600	986
20	2.259988	1222	0.486437	907	50	2.328609	1320	0.537587	987
25	2.261212	1224	0.487345	908	55	2.329932	1323	0.538576	989
30	2.262437	1225	0.488255	910	115 0	2.331257	1325	0.539567	991
35	2.263664	1227	0.489166	911	5	2.332583	1326	0.540559	992
40	2.264893	1229	0.490079	913	10	2.333912	1329	0.541553	994
45	2.266124	1231	0.490993	914	15	2.335242	1330	0.542549	996
50	2.267356	1232	0.491909	916	20	2.336575	1333	0.543546	997
55	2.268590	1234	0.492826	917	25	2.337909	1334	0.544545	999
111 0	2.269826	1236	0.493744	918	30	2.339246	1337	0.545545	1000
5	2.271063	1237	0.494664	920	35	2.340585	1339	0.546547	1002
10	2.272302	1239	0.495585	921	40	2.341925	1340	0.547550	1003
15	2.273543	1241	0.496508	923	45	2.343268	1343	0.548555	1005
20	2.274785	1242	0.497432	924	50	2.344613	1345	0.549562	1007
25	2.276029	1244	0.498357	925	55	2.345960	1347	0.550571	1009
30	2.277275	1246	0.499284	927	116 0	2.347309	1349	0.551581	1010
35	2.278523	1248	0.500213	929	5	2.348660	1351	0.552592	1011
40	2.279772	1249	0.501143	930	10	2.350014	1354	0.553606	1014
45	2.281023	1251	0.502074	931	15	2.351369	1355	0.554621	1015
50	2.282276	1253	0.503007	933	20	2.352726	1357	0.555637	1016
55	2.283531	1255	0.503941	934	25	2.354086	1360	0.556655	1018
112 0	2.284788	1257	0.504877	936	30	2.355448	1362	0.557675	1020
5	2.286046	1258	0.505814	937	35	2.356812	1364	0.558697	1022
10	2.287306	1260	0.506753	939	40	2.358177	1365	0.559720	1023
15	2.288568	1262	0.507693	940	45	2.359545	1368	0.560745	1025
20	2.289832	1264	0.508634	941	50	2.360916	1371	0.561772	1027
25	2.291097	1265	0.509577	943	55	2.362288	1372	0.562800	1028
30	2.292364	1267	0.510522	945	117 0	2.363663	1375	0.563830	1030
		1270		946			1377		1032

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Angle.	Log.	Diff.	Log. Diff.	Diff.	Angle.	Log.	Diff.	Log. Diff.	Diff.
Mean Mot.					Mean Mot.				
117 5	2.365040	1377	0.564862	1032	121 35	2.442820	1506	0.623184	1129
10	2.366418	1378	0.565895	1033	40	2.444328	1508	0.624315	1131
15	2.367799	1381	0.566930	1035	45	2.445839	1511	0.625448	1133
20	2.369183	1384	0.567966	1036	50	2.447352	1513	0.626582	1134
25	2.370568	1385	0.569005	1039	55	2.448868	1516	0.627719	1137
30	2.371956	1388	0.570045	1040	122 0	2.450387	1519	0.628858	1139
		1390		1042			1521		1140
35	2.373346	1392	0.571087	1043	5	2.451908	1524	0.629998	1143
40	2.374738	1394	0.572130	1045	10	2.453432	1527	0.631141	1144
45	2.376132	1397	0.573175	1047	15	2.454959	1529	0.632285	1146
50	2.377529	1399	0.574222	1049	20	2.456488	1532	0.633431	1149
55	2.378928	1401	0.575271	1050	25	2.458020	1535	0.634580	1150
118 0	2.380329	1403	0.576321	1052	30	2.459555	1537	0.635730	1152
		1406		1054			1540		1155
5	2.381732	1408	0.577373	1056	35	2.461092	1543	0.636882	1156
10	2.383138	1410	0.578427	1057	40	2.462632	1546	0.638037	1158
15	2.384546	1413	0.579483	1059	45	2.464175	1548	0.639193	1161
20	2.385956	1415	0.580540	1061	50	2.465721	1552	0.640351	1162
25	2.387369	1417	0.581599	1063	55	2.467269	1554	0.641512	1165
30	2.388784	1419	0.582660	1064	123 0	2.468821	1556	0.642674	1166
		1422		1066			1560		1168
35	2.390201	1424	0.583723	1068	5	2.470375	1562	0.643839	1171
40	2.391620	1426	0.584787	1070	10	2.471931	1565	0.645005	1172
45	2.393042	1429	0.585853	1071	15	2.473491	1568	0.646173	1175
50	2.394466	1431	0.586921	1074	20	2.475053	1570	0.647344	1176
55	2.395892	1434	0.587991	1075	25	2.476618	1574	0.648516	1179
119 0	2.397321	1436	0.589062	1076	30	2.478186	1577	0.649691	1181
		1438		1079			1579		1183
5	2.398752	1440	0.590136	1080	35	2.479756	1582	0.650867	1184
10	2.400186	1443	0.591211	1083	40	2.481330	1585	0.652046	1187
15	2.401622	1446	0.592287	1084	45	2.482907	1588	0.653227	1189
20	2.403060	1447	0.593366	1085	50	2.484486	1591	0.654410	1192
25	2.404500	1449	0.594446	1088	55	2.486068	1593	0.655594	1193
30	2.405943	1451	0.595529	1090	124 0	2.487653	1597	0.656781	1195
		1452		1091			1599		1197
35	2.407389	1455	0.596613	1093	5	2.489241	1603	0.657970	1200
40	2.408836	1458	0.597698	1095	10	2.490832	1605	0.659162	1202
45	2.410287	1460	0.598786	1097	15	2.492425	1608	0.660355	1203
50	2.411739	1462	0.599876	1098	20	2.494022	1612	0.661550	1206
55	2.413194	1465	0.600967	1101	25	2.495621	1614	0.662747	1208
120 0	2.414652	1468	0.602060	1102	30	2.497224	1617	0.663947	1211
		1470		1105			1621		1212
5	2.416112	1472	0.603155	1106	35	2.498829	1623	0.665149	1214
10	2.417574	1475	0.604252	1108	40	2.500437	1626	0.666352	1217
15	2.419039	1477	0.605350	1110	45	2.502049	1630	0.667558	1219
20	2.420507	1480	0.606451	1111	50	2.503663	1632	0.668766	1221
25	2.421977	1482	0.607553	1114	55	2.505280	1635	0.669977	1223
30	2.423449	1485	0.608658	1115	125 0	2.506901	1639	0.671189	1225
		1488		1118			1641		1228
35	2.424924	1490	0.609764	1119	5	2.508524	1645	0.672403	1229
40	2.426401	1492	0.610872	1121	10	2.510150	1648	0.673620	1232
45	2.427881	1495	0.611982	1123	15	2.511780	1650	0.674839	1235
50	2.429363	1498	0.613093	1125	20	2.513412	1654	0.676060	1236
55	2.430848	1500	0.614207	1127	25	2.515047	1657	0.677283	1238
121 0	2.432336	1503	0.615322	1129	30	2.516686	1660	0.678508	1241
		1506							
5	2.433820	1492	0.616440	1119	35	2.518327	1645	0.679736	1229
10	2.435318	1495	0.617559	1121	40	2.519972	1648	0.680965	1232
15	2.436813	1498	0.618680	1123	45	2.521620	1650	0.682197	1235
20	2.438311	1500	0.619803	1125	50	2.523270	1654	0.683432	1236
25	2.439811	1503	0.620928	1127	55	2.524924	1657	0.684668	1238
30	2.441314	1506	0.622055	1129	126 0	2.526581	1660	0.685906	1241

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	Mean Mot.					Mean Mot.			
126 5	2.528241	1660	0.687147	1241	130 35	2.622869	1847	0.757649	1371
10	2.529905	1664	0.688390	1243	40	2.624720	1851	0.759023	1374
15	2.531571	1666	0.689636	1246	45	2.626575	1855	0.760400	1377
20	2.533241	1670	0.690883	1247	50	2.628434	1859	0.761779	1379
25	2.534914	1673	0.692133	1250	55	2.630296	1862	0.763161	1382
30	2.536590	1676	0.693385	1252	131 0	2.632162	1866	0.764546	1385
		1679	0.694639	1254	5	2.634032	1870	0.765933	1387
35	2.538269	1682	0.695896	1257	10	2.635907	1875	0.767324	1391
40	2.539951	1686	0.697155	1259	15	2.637785	1878	0.768716	1392
45	2.541637	1689	0.698416	1261	20	2.639667	1882	0.770112	1396
50	2.543326	1692	0.699679	1263	25	2.641553	1886	0.771510	1398
55	2.545018	1696	0.700945	1266	30	2.643443	1890	0.772911	1401
127 0	2.546714	1698	0.702213	1268			1893	0.774314	1403
5	2.548412	1702	0.703484	1271	35	2.645336	1898	0.775721	1407
10	2.550114	1705	0.704756	1272	40	2.647234	1902	0.777130	1409
15	2.551819	1709	0.706031	1275	45	2.649136	1906	0.778541	1411
20	2.553528	1712	0.707309	1278	50	2.651042	1910	0.779956	1415
25	2.555240	1715	0.708588	1279	55	2.652952	1914	0.781373	1417
30	2.556955	1719	0.709870	1282	132 0	2.654866	1918	0.782794	1421
		1721	0.711155	1285	5	2.656784	1922	0.784217	1423
35	2.558674	1726	0.712442	1287	10	2.658706	1926	0.785642	1425
40	2.560395	1728	0.713731	1289	15	2.660632	1930	0.787071	1429
45	2.562121	1732	0.715022	1291	20	2.662562	1935	0.788502	1431
50	2.563849	1735	0.716316	1294	25	2.664497	1938	0.789936	1434
55	2.565581	1739	0.717612	1296	30	2.666435	1943	0.791373	1437
128 0	2.567316	1743	0.718911	1299	35	2.668378	1947	0.792813	1440
5	2.569055	1746	0.720212	1301	40	2.670325	1951	0.794255	1442
10	2.570798	1749	0.721516	1304	45	2.672276	1955	0.795701	1446
15	2.572544	1752	0.722822	1306	50	2.674231	1960	0.797149	1448
20	2.574293	1756	0.724130	1308	55	2.676191	1964	0.798601	1452
25	2.576045	1760	0.725441	1311	133 0	2.678155	1968	0.800055	1454
30	2.577801	1763	0.726754	1313	5	2.680123	1972	0.801512	1457
		1766	0.728070	1316	10	2.682095	1976	0.802972	1460
35	2.579561	1770	0.729388	1318	15	2.684071	1981	0.804435	1463
40	2.581324	1774	0.730708	1320	20	2.686052	1985	0.805900	1465
45	2.583090	1777	0.732031	1323	25	2.688037	1990	0.807369	1469
50	2.584860	1781	0.733357	1326	30	2.690027	1994	0.808841	1472
55	2.586634	1784	0.734685	1328	35	2.692021	1998	0.810316	1475
129 0	2.588411	1788	0.736015	1330	40	2.694019	2003	0.811793	1477
5	2.590192	1792	0.737348	1333	45	2.696022	2007	0.813274	1481
10	2.591976	1795	0.738684	1336	50	2.698029	2011	0.814757	1483
15	2.593764	1799	0.740022	1338	55	2.700040	2016	0.816244	1487
20	2.595556	1802	0.741363	1341	134 0	2.702056	2021	0.817734	1490
25	2.597351	1806	0.742706	1343	5	2.704077	2024	0.819226	1492
30	2.599150	1810	0.744051	1345	10	2.706101	2030	0.820722	1496
		1813	0.745399	1348	15	2.708131	2034	0.822221	1499
35	2.600952	1817	0.746750	1351	20	2.710165	2038	0.823722	1501
40	2.602758	1821	0.748103	1353	25	2.712203	2043	0.825227	1505
45	2.604568	1824	0.749459	1356	30	2.714246	2047	0.826735	1508
50	2.606381	1828	0.750818	1359	35	2.716293	2052	0.828246	1511
55	2.608198	1832	0.752179	1361	40	2.718345	2056	0.829760	1514
130 0	2.610019	1836	0.753543	1364	45	2.720401	2062	0.831277	1517
5	2.611843	1840	0.754909	1366	50	2.722463	2065	0.832797	1520
10	2.613671	1843	0.756278	1369	55	2.724528	2071	0.834321	1524
15	2.615503	1847		1371	135 0	2.726599	2075		1526

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135 5	2.728674	-2075	0.835847	-1526	139 35	2.848199	-2357	0.923268	-1714
10	2.730754	2080	0.837377	1530	40	2.850561	2362	0.924986	1718
15	2.732838	2084	0.838910	1533	45	2.852930	2369	0.926708	1722
20	2.734927	2089	0.840446	1536	50	2.855304	2374	0.928434	1726
25	2.737021	2094	0.841985	1539	55	2.857684	2380	0.930163	1729
30	2.739120	2099	0.843527	1542	140 0	2.860070	2386	0.931897	1734
		-2104		-1546			-2392		-1737
35	2.741224	2108	0.845073	1549	5	2.862462	2398	0.933634	1741
40	2.743332	2113	0.846622	1552	10	2.864860	2405	0.935375	1746
45	2.745445	2118	0.848174	1555	15	2.867265	2410	0.937121	1749
50	2.747563	2123	0.849729	1558	20	2.869675	2416	0.938870	1753
55	2.749686	2128	0.851287	1562	25	2.872091	2422	0.940623	1758
136 0	2.751814	-2132	0.852849	-1565	30	2.874513	-2428	0.942381	-1761
5	2.753946	2138	0.854414	1569	35	2.876941	2435	0.944142	1765
10	2.756084	2142	0.855983	1571	40	2.879376	2440	0.945907	1770
15	2.758226	2147	0.857554	1575	45	2.881816	2447	0.947677	1773
20	2.760373	2153	0.859129	1578	50	2.884263	2453	0.949450	1778
25	2.762526	2157	0.860707	1582	55	2.886716	2459	0.951228	1781
30	2.764683	-2162	0.862289	-1585	141 0	2.889175	-2466	0.953009	-1786
		2167	0.863874	1588			2472	0.954795	1790
35	2.766845	2173	0.865462	1592	5	2.891641	2478	0.956585	1794
40	2.769012	2177	0.867054	1595	10	2.894113	2484	0.958379	1799
45	2.771185	2182	0.868649	1598	15	2.896591	2491	0.960178	1802
50	2.773362	2188	0.870247	1602	20	2.899075	2497	0.961980	1807
55	2.775544	-2193	0.871849	-1605	25	2.901566	-2504	0.963787	-1811
137 0	2.777732	2198	0.873454	1609	30	2.904063	2510	0.965598	1815
5	2.779925	2203	0.875063	1612	35	2.906567	2517	0.967413	1819
10	2.782123	2208	0.876675	1616	40	2.909077	2523	0.969232	1824
15	2.784326	2214	0.878291	1619	45	2.911594	2530	0.971056	1828
20	2.786534	2218	0.879910	1623	50	2.914117	2536	0.972884	1832
25	2.788748	-2224	0.881533	-1626	142 0	2.919183	-2543	0.974716	-1837
30	2.790966	2229	0.883159	1629			2550	0.976553	1841
		2235	0.884788	1633	5	2.921726	2556	0.978394	1845
35	2.793190	2240	0.886421	1637	10	2.924276	2562	0.980239	1850
40	2.795419	2245	0.888058	1640	15	2.926832	2570	0.982089	1854
45	2.797654	2250	0.889698	1644	20	2.929394	2576	0.983943	1859
50	2.799894	-2256	0.891342	-1647	25	2.931964	-2584	0.985802	-1863
55	2.802139	2262	0.892989	1651	30	2.934540	2590	0.987665	1867
138 0	2.804389	2267	0.894640	1654	35	2.937124	2596	0.989532	1872
5	2.806645	2272	0.896294	1659	40	2.939714	2604	0.991404	1877
10	2.808907	2277	0.897953	1661	45	2.942310	2611	0.993281	1881
15	2.811174	2283	0.899614	1666	50	2.944914	2617	0.995162	1885
20	2.813446	-2289	0.901280	-1669	55	2.947525	-2625	0.997047	-1890
25	2.815723	2294	0.902949	1672			2631	0.998937	1895
30	2.818006	2300	0.904621	1677	5	2.950142	2639	1.000832	1899
		2306	0.906298	1680	10	2.952767	2645	1.002731	1904
35	2.820295	2311	0.907978	1684	15	2.955398	2653	1.004635	1909
40	2.822589	2316	0.909662	1687	20	2.958037	2659	1.006544	1913
45	2.824889	-2323	0.911349	-1692	25	2.960682	-2667	1.008457	-1918
50	2.827195	2328	0.913041	1695	30	2.963335	2675	1.010375	1922
55	2.829506	2333	0.914736	1699	35	2.965994	2681	1.012297	1928
139 0	2.831822	2340	0.916435	1702			2689	1.014225	1932
5	2.834145	2345	0.918137	1707	5	2.968661	2696	1.016157	1937
10	2.836473	2351	0.919844	1710	10	2.971336	2703	1.018094	1941
15	2.838806	-2357	0.921554	-1714	15	2.974017	-2711	1.020035	-1947
20	2.841146				20	2.976706			
25	2.843491				25	2.979402			
30	2.845842				30	2.982105			

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144 5	2.984816	-2711	1.021982	-1947	148 35	3.143162	-3166	1.134894	-2243
10	2.987534	2718	1.023933	1951	40	3.146338	3176	1.137143	2249
15	2.990259	2725	1.025889	1956	45	3.149523	3185	1.139398	2255
20	2.992992	2733	1.027850	1961	50	3.152718	3195	1.141660	2262
25	2.995732	2740	1.029816	1966	55	3.155922	3204	1.143928	2268
30	2.998480	2748	1.031787	1971	149 0	3.159137	3215	1.146202	2274
		-2756		-1976			-3224		-2281
35	3.001236	2763	1.033763	1980	5	3.162361	3234	1.148483	2288
40	3.003999	2771	1.035743	1986	10	3.165595	3245	1.150771	2293
45	3.006770	2778	1.037729	1991	15	3.168840	3254	1.153064	2301
50	3.009548	2786	1.039720	1996	20	3.172094	3265	1.155365	2307
55	3.012334	2794	1.041716	2000	25	3.175359	3274	1.157672	2313
145 0	3.015128	-2802	1.043716	-2006	30	3.178633	-3285	1.159985	-2321
5	3.017930	2809	1.045722	2011	35	3.181918	3296	1.162306	2327
10	3.020739	2818	1.047733	2016	40	3.185214	3305	1.164633	2333
15	3.023557	2825	1.049749	2022	45	3.188519	3316	1.166966	2340
20	3.026382	2833	1.051771	2026	50	3.191835	3327	1.169306	2348
25	3.029215	2841	1.053797	2032	55	3.195162	3337	1.171654	2354
30	3.032056	-2850	1.055829	-2037	150 0	3.198499	-3347	1.174008	-2360
35	3.034906	2857	1.057866	2042	5	3.201846	3358	1.176368	2368
40	3.037763	2865	1.059908	2047	10	3.205204	3369	1.178736	2375
45	3.040628	2874	1.061955	2053	15	3.208573	3379	1.181111	2381
50	3.043502	2882	1.064008	2058	20	3.211952	3390	1.183492	2389
55	3.046384	2889	1.066066	2063	25	3.215342	3402	1.185881	2396
146 0	3.049273	-2898	1.068129	-2069	30	3.218744	-3412	1.188277	-2402
5	3.052171	2907	1.070198	2074	35	3.222156	3423	1.190679	2410
10	3.055078	2915	1.072272	2080	40	3.225579	3434	1.193089	2417
15	3.057993	2923	1.074352	2085	45	3.229013	3445	1.195506	2424
20	3.060916	2931	1.076437	2090	50	3.232458	3456	1.197930	2432
25	3.063847	2940	1.078527	2096	55	3.235914	3468	1.200362	2439
30	3.066787	-2949	1.080623	-2102	151 0	3.239382	-3479	1.202801	-2446
35	3.069736	2957	1.082725	2107	5	3.242861	3490	1.205247	2453
40	3.072693	2965	1.084832	2113	10	3.246351	3502	1.207700	2461
45	3.075658	2974	1.086945	2118	15	3.249853	3513	1.210161	2469
50	3.078632	2983	1.089063	2124	20	3.253366	3524	1.212630	2475
55	3.081615	2992	1.091187	2129	25	3.256890	3537	1.215105	2484
147 0	3.084607	-3000	1.093316	-2136	30	3.260427	-3548	1.217589	-2491
5	3.087607	3009	1.095452	2141	35	3.263975	3559	1.220080	2498
10	3.090616	3018	1.097593	2146	40	3.267534	3572	1.222578	2506
15	3.093634	3027	1.099739	2153	45	3.271106	3583	1.225084	2514
20	3.096661	3036	1.101892	2158	50	3.274689	3596	1.227598	2522
25	3.099697	3045	1.104050	2165	55	3.278285	3607	1.230120	2530
30	3.102742	-3054	1.106215	-2170	152 0	3.281892	-3620	1.232650	-2537
35	3.105796	3063	1.108385	2176	5	3.285512	3631	1.235187	2545
40	3.108859	3072	1.110561	2181	10	3.289143	3644	1.237732	2553
45	3.111931	3081	1.112742	2188	15	3.292787	3656	1.240285	2562
50	3.115012	3090	1.114930	2194	20	3.296443	3669	1.242847	2569
55	3.118102	3100	1.117124	2200	25	3.300112	3681	1.245416	2577
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5	3.124311	3118	1.121530	2212	35	3.307486	3706	1.250579	2593
10	3.127429	3128	1.123742	2218	40	3.311192	3719	1.253172	2602
15	3.130557	3137	1.125960	2224	45	3.314911	3732	1.255774	2610
20	3.133694	3146	1.128184	2230	50	3.318643	3744	1.258384	2619
25	3.136840	3156	1.130414	2237	55	3.322387	3758	1.261003	2626
30	3.139996	-3166	1.132651	-2243	153 0	3.326145	-3770	1.263629	-2636

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10	3.333698	3783	1.268909	2644	40	3.559908	4629	1.425904	3194
15	3.337495	3797	1.271561	2652	45	3.564556	4648	1.429110	3206
20	3.341305	3810	1.274222	2661	50	3.569223	4667	1.432328	3218
25	3.345128	3823	1.276891	2669	55	3.573910	4687	1.435559	3231
30	3.348964	3836	1.279569	2678	158 0	3.578615	4705	1.438802	3243
35	3.352814	-3850	1.282256	-2687	5	3.583340	-4725	1.442058	-3256
40	3.356678	3864	1.284952	2696	10	3.588085	4745	1.445327	3269
45	3.360555	3877	1.287657	2705	15	3.592849	4764	1.448608	3281
50	3.364445	3890	1.290370	2713	20	3.597633	4784	1.451903	3295
55	3.368350	3905	1.293092	2722	25	3.602437	4804	1.455210	3307
154 0	3.372268	3918	1.295824	2732	30	3.607260	4823	1.458530	3320
5	3.376201	-3933	1.298564	-2740	35	3.612105	-4845	1.461864	-3334
10	3.380147	3946	1.301314	2750	40	3.616969	4864	1.465211	3347
15	3.384108	3961	1.304073	2759	45	3.621855	4886	1.468571	3360
20	3.388083	3975	1.306841	2768	50	3.626760	4905	1.471945	3374
25	3.392072	3989	1.309619	2778	55	3.631687	4927	1.475333	3388
30	3.396076	4004	1.312405	2786	159 0	3.636635	4948	1.478734	3401
35	3.400094	-4018	1.315202	-2797	5	3.641604	-4969	1.482149	-3415
40	3.404127	4033	1.318007	2805	10	3.646595	4991	1.485578	3429
45	3.408175	4048	1.320823	2816	15	3.651607	5012	1.489021	3443
50	3.412237	4062	1.323648	2825	20	3.656640	5033	1.492478	3457
55	3.416314	4077	1.326482	2834	25	3.661696	5056	1.495950	3472
155 0	3.420406	4092	1.329326	2844	30	3.666774	5078	1.499436	3486
5	3.424514	-4108	1.332181	-2855	35	3.671873	-5099	1.502936	-3500
10	3.428636	4122	1.335045	2864	40	3.676995	5122	1.506451	3515
15	3.432774	4138	1.337919	2874	45	3.682140	5145	1.509981	3530
20	3.436927	4153	1.340802	2883	50	3.687308	5168	1.513525	3544
25	3.441096	4169	1.343696	2894	55	3.692499	5191	1.517085	3560
30	3.445280	4184	1.346601	2905	160 0	3.697713	5214	1.520660	3575
35	3.449480	-4200	1.349515	-2914	5	3.702950	-5237	1.524249	-3589
40	3.453696	4216	1.352440	2925	10	3.708210	5260	1.527855	3606
45	3.457928	4232	1.355375	2935	15	3.713495	5285	1.531476	3621
50	3.462175	4247	1.358320	2945	20	3.718803	5308	1.535112	3636
55	3.466439	4264	1.361276	2956	25	3.724135	5332	1.538764	3652
156 0	3.470719	4280	1.364242	2966	30	3.729492	5357	1.542432	3668
5	3.475016	-4297	1.367219	-2977	35	3.734873	-5381	1.546116	-3684
10	3.479329	4313	1.370207	2988	40	3.740279	5406	1.549816	3700
15	3.483658	4329	1.373205	2998	45	3.745710	5431	1.553533	3717
20	3.488004	4346	1.376215	3010	50	3.751166	5456	1.557266	3733
25	3.492367	4363	1.379235	3020	55	3.756647	5481	1.561015	3749
30	3.496747	4380	1.382266	3031	161 0	3.762154	5507	1.564782	3767
35	3.501144	-4397	1.385309	-3043	5	3.767687	-5533	1.568565	-3783
40	3.505558	4414	1.388362	3053	10	3.773246	5559	1.572365	3800
45	3.509989	4431	1.391427	3065	15	3.778831	5585	1.576182	3817
50	3.514438	4449	1.394503	3076	20	3.784442	5611	1.580017	3835
55	3.518904	4466	1.397590	3087	25	3.790080	5638	1.583869	3852
157 0	3.523388	4484	1.400689	3099	30	3.795745	5665	1.587738	3869
5	3.527889	-4501	1.403800	-3111	35	3.801437	-5692	1.591626	-3888
10	3.532408	4519	1.406922	3122	40	3.807157	5720	1.595531	3905
15	3.536946	4538	1.410056	3134	45	3.812904	5747	1.599454	3923
20	3.541501	4555	1.413201	3145	50	3.818679	5775	1.603396	3942
25	3.546075	4574	1.416359	3158	55	3.824483	5804	1.607356	3960
30	3.550668	4593	1.419529	3170	162 0	3.830315	5832	1.611335	3979
		-4611		-3181			-5860		-3998

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162 5	3.836175	-5860	1.615333	-3998	166 35	4.204152	-7924	1.865001	-5353
10	3.842065	5890	1.619349	4016	40	4.212128	7976	1.870389	5388
15	3.847983	5918	1.623385	4036	45	4.220155	8027	1.875810	5421
20	3.853931	5948	1.627440	4055	50	4.228235	8080	1.881266	5456
25	3.859909	5978	1.631514	4074	55	4.236367	8132	1.886756	5490
30	3.865917	6008	1.635608	4094	167 0	4.244553	8186	1.892282	5526
		-6038		-4114			-8241		-5562
35	3.871955	6069	1.639722	4134	5	4.252794	8296	1.897844	5599
40	3.878024	6100	1.643856	4154	10	4.261090	8352	1.903443	5635
45	3.884124	6131	1.648010	4175	15	4.269442	8408	1.909078	5672
50	3.890255	6162	1.652185	4195	20	4.277850	8465	1.914750	5710
55	3.896417	6194	1.656380	4216	25	4.286315	8523	1.920460	5748
163 0	3.902611	-6226	1.660596	-4237	30	4.294838	-8582	1.926208	-5788
		6258	1.664833	4258			8642	1.931996	5826
5	3.908837	6291	1.669091	4280	35	4.303420	8701	1.937822	5866
10	3.915095	6324	1.673371	4301	40	4.312062	8763	1.943688	5907
15	3.921386	6358	1.677672	4324	45	4.320763	8825	1.949595	5947
20	3.927710	6392	1.681996	4345	50	4.329526	8888	1.955542	5989
25	3.934068	-6425	1.686341	-4368	55	4.338351	-8951	1.961531	-6031
30	3.940460	6459	1.690709	4390			9016	1.967562	6073
		6494	1.695099	4413	5	4.356190	9082	1.973635	6117
35	3.946885	6530	1.699512	4436	10	4.365206	9147	1.979752	6161
40	3.953344	6565	1.703948	4459	15	4.374288	9215	1.985913	6205
45	3.959838	6600	1.708407	4482	20	4.383435	9284	1.992118	6250
50	3.966368	-6637	1.712889	-4507	25	4.392650	-9352	1.998368	-6296
55	3.972933	6673	1.717396	4530	30	4.401934	9423	2.004664	6342
164 0	3.979533	6710	1.721926	4555			9494	2.011006	6390
		6747	1.726481	4579	35	4.411286	9567	2.017396	6437
5	3.986170	6785	1.731060	4603	40	4.420709	9640	2.023833	6486
10	3.992843	6823	1.735663	4629	45	4.430203	9714	2.030319	6535
15	3.999553	-6861	1.740292	-4654	50	4.439770	-9790	2.036854	-6585
20	4.006300	6900	1.744946	4680			9867	2.043439	6636
25	4.013085	6940	1.749626	4705	5	4.468914	9945	2.050075	6688
30	4.019908	6979	1.754331	4731	10	4.478781	10024	2.056763	6740
		7019	1.759062	4758	15	4.488726	10104	2.063503	6792
35	4.026769	7060	1.763820	4785	20	4.498750	10186	2.070295	6847
40	4.033669	-7101	1.768605	-4811	25	4.508854	-10269	2.077142	-6902
45	4.040609	7142	1.773416	4839	30	4.519040	10353	2.084044	6956
50	4.047588	7185	1.778255	4866			10438	2.091002	7014
55	4.054607	7227	1.783121	4894	35	4.529309	10526	2.098016	7072
165 0	4.061667	7269	1.788015	4923	40	4.539662	10614	2.105088	7130
		7313	1.792938	4950	45	4.550100	10704	2.112218	7190
5	4.068768	-7357	1.797888	-4980	50	4.560626	-10796	2.119408	-7250
10	4.075910	7401	1.802868	5009			10888	2.126658	7312
15	4.083095	7446	1.807877	5038	5	4.571240	10982	2.133970	7374
20	4.090322	7491	1.812915	5069	10	4.581944	11079	2.141344	7438
25	4.097591	7537	1.817984	5098	15	4.592740	11176	2.148782	7503
30	4.104904	7584	1.823082	5129	20	4.603628	11276	2.156285	7568
		-7630	1.828211	-5160	25	4.614610	-11377	2.163853	-7636
35	4.112261	7678	1.833371	5191			11480	2.171489	7703
40	4.119662	7727	1.838562	5223	35	4.625689	11585	2.179192	7773
45	4.127108	7775	1.843785	5255	40	4.636865	11691	2.186965	7844
50	4.134599	7824	1.849040	5288	45	4.648141	11799	2.194809	7916
55	4.142136	7874	1.854328	5320	50	4.659518	11910	2.202725	7988
166 0	4.149720	-7924	1.859648	-5353	55	4.670998	-12023	2.210713	-8064
		7924							
5	4.157350	7976			171 0	4.717983			
10	4.165028	8027							
15	4.172755	8080							
20	4.180530	8132							
25	4.188354	8186							
30	4.196228	8241							

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0		12023		8064	0		24304		16227
171 5	4.730000	12138	2.218777	8139	175 35	5.641401	24770	2.828331	16537
10	4.742144	12254	2.226916	8217	40	5.666171	25253	2.844868	16859
15	4.754398	12373	2.235133	8296	45	5.691424	25754	2.861727	17192
20	4.766771	12495	2.243429	8377	50	5.717178	26276	2.878919	17540
25	4.779266	12618	2.251806	8458	55	5.743454	26820	2.896459	17903
30	4.791884	12745	2.260264	8542	176 0	5.770274	27387	2.914362	18279
35	4.804629	12873	2.268806	8627	5	5.797661	27978	2.932641	18673
40	4.817502	13004	2.277433	8715	10	5.825639	28594	2.951314	19084
45	4.830506	13139	2.286148	8803	15	5.854233	29239	2.970398	19513
50	4.843645	13274	2.294951	8894	20	5.883472	29912	2.989911	19961
55	4.856919	13414	2.303845	8986	25	5.913384	30619	3.009872	20432
172 0	4.870333	13557	2.312831	9081	30	5.944003	31358	3.030304	20925
5	4.883890	13701	2.321912	9177	35	5.975361	32135	3.051229	21441
10	4.897591	13850	2.331089	9275	40	6.007496	32950	3.072670	21985
15	4.911441	14002	2.340364	9376	45	6.040446	33808	3.094655	22556
20	4.925443	14156	2.349740	9479	50	6.074254	34711	3.117211	23158
25	4.939599	14314	2.359219	9584	55	6.108965	35664	3.140369	23793
30	4.953913	14476	2.368803	9691	177 0	6.144629	36670	3.164162	24463
35	4.968389	14642	2.378494	9801	5	6.181299	37736	3.188625	25173
40	4.983031	14811	2.388295	9914	10	6.219035	38865	3.213798	25925
45	4.997842	14984	2.398209	10028	15	6.257900	40062	3.239723	26723
50	5.012826	15160	2.408237	10146	20	6.297962	41336	3.266446	27572
55	5.027986	15342	2.418383	10266	25	6.339298	42693	3.294018	28476
173 0	5.043328	15528	2.428649	10390	30	6.381991	44143	3.322494	29442
5	5.058856	15718	2.439039	10516	35	6.420134	45694	3.351936	30476
10	5.074574	15912	2.449555	10645	40	6.471828	47357	3.382412	31584
15	5.090486	16112	2.460200	10778	45	6.519185	49147	3.413996	32777
20	5.106598	16316	2.470978	10913	50	6.568332	51077	3.446773	34063
25	5.122914	16526	2.481891	11053	55	6.619409	53164	3.480836	35453
30	5.139440	16741	2.492944	11196	178 0	6.672573	55428	3.516289	36964
35	5.156181	16962	2.504140	11343	5	6.728001	57895	3.553253	38607
40	5.173143	17188	2.515483	11493	10	6.785896	60590	3.591860	40403
45	5.190331	17421	2.526976	11648	15	6.846486	63549	3.632263	42375
50	5.207752	17660	2.538624	11806	20	6.910035	66812	3.674638	44550
55	5.225412	17905	2.550430	11970	25	6.976847	70426	3.719188	46960
174 0	5.243317	18157	2.562400	12137	30	7.047273	74454	3.766148	49644
5	5.261474	18416	2.574537	12310	35	7.121727	78972	3.815792	52655
10	5.279890	18684	2.586847	12487	40	7.200699	84072	3.868447	56055
15	5.298574	18958	2.599334	12670	45	7.284771	89876	3.924502	59925
20	5.317532	19240	2.612004	12858	50	7.374647	96542	3.984427	64367
25	5.336772	19532	2.624862	13051	55	7.471189	104275	4.048794	69522
30	5.356304	19832	2.637913	13252	179 0	7.575464	113355	4.118316	75576
35	5.376136	20142	2.651165	13456	5	7.688819	124168	4.193892	82783
40	5.396278	20460	2.664621	13669	10	7.812987	137264	4.276675	91514
45	5.416738	20789	2.678290	13889	15	7.950251	153452	4.368189	102305
50	5.437527	21130	2.692179	14114	20	8.103703	173967	4.470494	115981
55	5.458657	21480	2.706293	14348	25	8.277670	200834	4.586475	133893
175 0	5.480137	21843	2.720641	14589	30	8.478504	237539	4.720368	158362
5	5.501980	22219	2.735230	14839	35	8.716043	290726	4.878730	193819
10	5.524199	22607	2.750069	15098	40	9.006769	374813	5.072549	249877
15	5.546806	23009	2.765167	15365	45	9.381582	528271	5.322426	352182
20	5.569815	23425	2.780532	15642	50	9.909853	903089	5.674608	602060
25	5.593240	23857	2.796174	15930	55	10.812942		6.276668	
30	5.617097	24304	2.812104	16227	180 0				

50 **TABLE III. Errors in taking Proportional Parts of the above Parabolick Table.**

Ang. from Per.	Log. M.M.	Ang. by Pro. Par.	Log. of Distance			Error.	Diff. too great.
			True.	From M.M.	Equal Div.		
45° 2' 30"	1.516934	45° 2' 30"	0.068900	900	900	.000000	
154 57 30	3.418358	154 57 29.9	1.327903	903	904	.000001	
159 57 30	3.695102	159 57 29.8	1.518870	870	872	.000002	
169 57 30	4.576581	169 57 29.7	2.115806	806	813	.000007	1.00002
173 57 30	5.234333	173 57 29.5	2.556394	394	415	.000021	1.00005
174 57 30	5.469352	174 57 29.4	2.713437	437	467	.000030	1.00007
178 57 30	7.522283	178 57 27.0	4.082860	859	3555	.000695	1.00108
179 52 30	10.284669	179 52 4.5	5.924485	486	75638	.051153	1.12500

TABLE IV. Equation of the Sun's Place, from the Mensural Parallax.

Add.		Θ's Per.		Θ's Ap.		Subtract.
		D's Per.	D's Ap.	D's Per.	D's Ap.	
0 0 6 0	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 0 12 0
5 25						5 25
10 20	3 3	2 3				10 20
15 15						15 15
20 10	5 6	5 6				20 10
25 5						25 5
1 0 5 0	8 9	7 8				7 0 11 0
5 25						5 25
10 20	10 12	10 11				10 20
15 15						15 15
20 10	12 14	11 13				20 10
25 5						25 5
2 0 4 0	13 15	13 14				8 0 10 0
5 25						5 25
10 20	14 16	14 15				10 20
15 15						15 15
20 10	15 17	14 16				20 10
25 5						25 5
3 0 3 0	15 17	15 17				9 0 9 0

TABLE V. Increase or Decrease of the Earth's Dist. from the Sun, from the Mensural Parallax.

Add.		D's Par.	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	Subtract.	
			54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61		
0 0 12 0	0 0 0 0	0.0000795	780	766	753	740	727	715	703	691	0 0 6 0	0
5 25	0.0000791	777	763	750	737	724	712	701			5 25	
10 20	0.0000783	768	755	741	729	716	704	693	10 20			
15 15	0.0000767	753	740	727	714	702	691	679	15 15			
20 10	0.0000747	733	720	707	695	683	672	661	20 10			
25 5	0.0000720	707	694	682	671	659	648	638	25 5			
1 0 11 0	0.0000688	675	663	652	641	630	619	609	7 0 5 0			
5 25	0.0000651	639	628	617	606	596	586	576	5 25			
10 20	0.0000609	598	587	577	567	557	548	539	10 20			
15 15	0.0000562	552	542	532	523	514	506	497	15 15			
20 10	0.0000511	501	492	484	476	467	460	452	20 10			
25 5	0.0000456	447	439	432	424	417	410	403	25 5			
2 0 10 0	0.0000397	390	383	376	370	364	358	352	2 0 4 0			
5 25	0.0000336	330	324	318	313	307	302	297	5 25			
10 20	0.0000272	267	262	257	253	249	245	241	10 20			
15 15	0.0000206	202	198	195	191	188	185	182	15 15			
20 10	0.0000138	135	133	131	128	126	124	122	20 10			
25 5	0.0000069	68	67	66	64	63	62	61	25 5			
3 0 9 0	0.0000000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	3 0 3 0			

Tables IV. and V. are to be thus used: From the moon's place subtract the sun's, and against the remainder in table IV. is the angle CSE (fig. 6.) to be added to, or subtracted from the sun's place as found by the common tables. Against the remainder in table V. is given the length of the line ED in parts of the earth's mean distance, to be added to, or subtracted from the distance of the earth from the sun, which the tables of the sun give.

TAB. VI. Decimals of a Degree reduced to Minutes and Seconds.

Decimals	Minutes	Seconds
.001	3.6	.01 0 36
.002	7.2	.02 1 12
.003	10.8	.03 1 48
.004	14.4	.04 2 24
.005	18.0	.05 3 0
.006	21.6	.06 3 36
.007	25.2	.07 4 12
.008	28.8	.08 4 48
.009	32.4	.09 5 24

TABLE VII. Decimals of a Day reduced to Hours, Minutes, and Seconds.

Decimals	Hours	Minutes	Seconds
.00001	0.864	.0001 0 8.64	.001 1 26.4
.00002	1.728	.0002 0 17.28	.002 2 52.8
.00003	2.592	.0003 0 25.92	.003 4 19.2
.00004	3.456	.0004 0 34.56	.004 5 45.6
.00005	4.320	.0005 0 43.20	.005 7 12.0
.00006	5.184	.0006 0 51.84	.006 8 38.4
.00007	6.048	.0007 1 0.48	.007 10 4.8
.00008	6.912	.0008 1 9.12	.008 11 31.2
.00009	7.776	.0009 1 17.76	.009 12 57.6

TABLE VIII.

Comet 1680.				Comet 1682.			
Days Mot.	Ang. from Per.	Diff. fr. ☉	Ordnate.	Ang. from Per.	Diff. fr. ☉		
$\frac{1}{4}$	132 58 6	0.03847	0.02815				
$\frac{1}{2}$	143 53 13	0.06375	0.03757				
1	151 56 38	0.10425	0.04903				
2	158 1 52	0.16874	0.06312				
3	160 54 58	0.22289	0.07287				
4	162 42 52	0.27124	0.08059	12 26 46	0.59022		
8	166 21 18	0.43472	0.10239	24 16 54	0.61027		
12	168 6 23	0.57059	0.11760	35 10 54	0.64192		
16	169 12 25	0.69249	0.12968	44 54 55	0.68294		
20	59 19	0.80453	0.13986	53 27 18	0.73117		
24	170 35 4	0.90929	0.14675	60 53 1	0.78470		
28	171 3 36	1.00836	0.15670	67 20 5	0.84204		
32	27 7	1.10281	0.16392	72 56 25	0.90196		
36	47 0	1.19339	0.17055	77 50 28	0.96361		
40	172 4 8	1.28067	0.17671	82 8 50	1.02634		
44	19 6	1.36508	0.18247	85 57 18	1.08969		
48	32 21	1.44697	0.18789	89 20 35	1.15334		
52	44 12	1.52661	0.19301	92 22 36	1.21703		
56	55 7	1.60424	0.19777	95 6 32	1.28059		
60	173 4 36	1.68003	0.20251	97 34 58	1.34390		
64	13 28	1.75416	0.20696	99 50 6	1.40686		
68	21 39	1.82676	0.21120	101 53 41	1.46943		
72	29 12	1.89796	0.21529	103 47 13	1.53154		
76	36 13	1.96783	0.21923	105 31 54	1.59316		
80	42 44	2.03651	0.22304	107 8 50	1.65430		
84	48 51	2.10403	0.22672	108 38 53	1.71491		
88	54 35	2.17050	0.23028	110 2 49	1.77501		
92	59 59	2.23597	0.23373	111 21 16	1.83461		
96	174 5 4	2.30049	0.23709	112 34 48	1.89368		
100	9 53	2.36413	0.24036	113 43 54	1.95225		
104	14 27	2.42692	0.24354	114 49 0	2.01032		
108	18 46	2.48892	0.24665	115 50 27	2.06791		
112	22 54	2.55005	0.24965	116 48 35	2.12501		
116	26 50	2.61065	0.25261	117 43 42	2.18163		
120	30 35	2.67046	0.25550	118 36 22	2.23779		

TABLE IX. *Abcissa and Ordinate of a Parabola at different Angles from the Vertex.*

Angle	Abcissa.	Ordinate.	Angle	Abcissa.	Ordinate.
10°	0.00765	0.17498	130°	4.59891	4.28901
20	0.03109	0.35265	140	7.54863	5.49495
30	0.07180	0.53590	150	13.92821	7.46410
40	0.13247	0.72794	160	32.16343	11.34254
50	0.21744	0.93261	170	130.64610	22.86011
60	0.33333	1.15470	175	524.58248	45.80752
70	0.49029	1.40042	176	820.03500	57.27250
80	0.70409	1.67820	177	1458.35842	76.37693
90	1.00000	2.00000	178	3282.13970	114.57992
100	1.42028	2.38351	179	13130.55876	229.17730
110	2.03961	2.85630	179½	52524.23496	458.36332
120	3.00000	3.46410	179¾	210098.93985	916.73103

TABLE X. 51
Hourly Motion of Comets.

Perih. Dist. Comet 1680	Parts of M. O.	Miles.
	.012952	997000
0.1	.003205	247000
0.2	.002267	175000
0.3	.001851	143000
0.4	.001603	123000
0.5	.001434	110000
0.6	.001309	101000
0.7	.001212	93000
0.8	.001133	87000
0.9	.001068	82000
1.0	.001014	78000
1.5	.000828	64000
2.0	.000717	55000
2.5	.000641	49000
3.0	.000585	45000
3.5	.000542	42000
4.0	.000507	39000
Time from Perih. to Lat. rect.		
Comet 1680	Dec. of Days.	d h ' "
	0.052545	0 1 15 40
0.1	3.46635	3 11 11 32
0.2	9.80430	9 19 18 12
0.3	18.01165	18 0 16 46
0.4	27.73076	27 17 32 16
0.5	38.75490	38 18 7 4
0.6	50.94464	50 22 40 17
0.7	64.19757	64 4 44 30
0.8	78.43440	78 10 25 33
0.9	93.59129	93 14 11 27
1.0	109.61543	109 14 46 13
1.5	201.3764	201 9 2
2.0	310.0392	310 0 56
2.5	433.2929	433 7 2
3.0	569.5785	569 13 53
3.5	717.7507	717 18 1
4.0	876.9232	876 22 9

TABLE XI.

Apparent Motion of the Comet of 1682, at its next Return, whatever Month of the Year its Perihelion happens in.

Time.	Long.	Lat.	Curt. Diff.	Time.	Long.	Lat.	Curt. Diff.	Time.	Long.	Lat.	Curt. Diff.
Perihelion April 20.				Perihelion October 23.				Perihelion February 19.			
Apr. 20	♈ 1.8	N. 8.2	1.18	Sept. 3	♊ 29.2	N. 6.3	1.01	Mar. 1	♈ 9.5	S. 3.4	1.02
30	♈ 3.3	9.1	0.80	13	♋ 7.6	13.0	0.62	11	♈ 0.2	8.7	0.80
May 10	♈ 11.9	9.8	0.41	23	♌ 9.3	31.0	0.28	21	♈ 12.9	16.4	0.62
20	♋ 2.2	1.5	0.17	Oct. 3	♍ 6.0	28.7	0.34	31	♈ 13.3	24.2	0.54
30	♌ 26.5	S. 7.1	0.48	13	♍ 26.8	14.6	0.73	Apr. 10	♈ 13.0	25.6	0.63
June 9	♌ 6.7	8.1	0.85	23	♎ 0.2	8.7	1.12	20	♈ 24.9	22.5	0.85
Perihelion May 21.				Perihelion November 22.				30	♈ 16.7	19.5	1.13
May 11	♈ 23.2	N. 8.5	1.29	Sept. 13	♊ 27.7	N. 2.6	1.25	Nov. 1	♊ 15.7	S. 4.1	1.21
21	♈ 26.2	10.8	0.90	23	♋ 29.8	5.2	0.88	11	♊ 4.6	3.1	0.98
31	♈ 12.3	14.4	0.50	Oct. 3	♋ 1.9	12.6	0.50	21	♊ 18.6	1.3	0.83
June 10	♋ 15.1	12.1	0.32	13	♌ 12.	51.	0.11	Dec. 1	♈ 26.9	N. 1.0	0.78
20	♌ 28.3	0.4	0.60	15	♌ 7.	74.	0.04	11	♈ 8.0	3.2	0.86
30	♌ 10.8	S. 3.5	0.97	16	♌ 16.	78.	0.03	21	♈ 24.8	4.6	1.00
Perihelion June 21.				23	♎ 23.	31.	0.28	Mar. 11	♈ 10.9	3.6	1.10
June 11	♈ 15.9	N. 10.7	1.01	Nov. 2	♎ 25.6	15.8	0.66	21	♈ 4.8	0.4	0.83
21	♈ 1.2	15.3	0.62	12	♎ 24.5	10.2	1.03	31	♈ 24.0	S. 6.3	0.54
July 1	♈ 20.4	17.0	0.42	Perihelion December 21.				Apr. 10	♈ 22.2	22.2	0.30
11	♈ 4.7	6.0	0.65	Oct. 2	♊ 26.7	N. 0.7	1.12	20	♈ 17.1	29.2	0.33
21	♈ 19.1	0.2	1.02	12	♋ 23.0	3.5	0.77	30	♈ 21.3	21.7	0.61
Perihelion July 23.				22	♋ 11.1	10.7	0.42	May 10	♈ 12.9	17.8	0.93
July 3	♊ 2.6	N. 9.7	1.10	Nov. 1	♈ 16.6	28.3	0.21	Perihelion March 20.			
13	♊ 16.0	15.1	0.80	11	♈ 12.2	20.2	0.39	Nov. 30	♈ 21.2	S. 3.3	1.13
23	♋ 27.7	20.4	0.45	21	♈ 26.5	13.4	0.70	Dec. 10	♈ 7.2	2.7	1.09
Aug. 2	♋ 15.9	11.1	0.56	Dec. 1	♈ 20.8	10.5	1.01	20	♈ 24.3	1.0	1.14
12	♋ 1.5	3.9	1.03	Feb. 19	♈ 16.4	S. 9.2	1.13	Mar. 30	♈ 6.5	N. 7.0	1.18
Perihelion August 22.				Mar. 1	♈ 3.8	13.8	0.98	Apr. 9	♈ 3.9	4.7	0.76
July 23	♊ 12.9	N. 8.8	1.13	11	♈ 19.0	19.1	0.88	19	♈ 29.0	0.8	0.40
Aug. 2	♋ 26.3	13.9	0.75	21	♈ 0.2	23.0	0.83	29	♈ 22.	S. 50.	0.05
12	♋ 0.7	22.8	0.45	31	♈ 12.4	23.8	0.91	30	♈ 11.	62.	0.04
22	♋ 26.0	16.5	0.58	Perihelion January 20.				May 9	♈ 10.8	20.1	0.33
Sept. 1	♋ 15.1	7.8	0.95	Oct. 12	♊ 24.3	S. 2.3	1.31	19	♈ 8.6	14.8	0.70
Perihelion September 23.				22	♋ 18.7	1.1	0.99	29	♈ 9.0	13.8	1.07
Aug. 14	♊ 23.9	N. 7.4	1.09	Nov. 1	♈ 6.8	N. 1.2	0.71				
24	♋ 4.5	13.2	0.71	11	♈ 6.4	5.2	0.51				
Sept. 3	♋ 8.3	25.4	0.39	21	♈ 4.2	9.2	0.50				
13	♋ 12.3	22.0	0.47	Dec. 1	♈ 8.8	9.5	0.66				
23	♋ 4.1	11.4	0.85	11	♈ 25.0	9.2	0.89				
				21	♈ 16.9	8.5	1.11				



Place where the Comet of 1682 may be first expected to appear any Month.

E R R A T A.									
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